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ALL GREECE CELEBRATES.

Anniversary of the Raising of the Cross Against the Crescent.

ATHENS, April 6.—The seventy-sixth anniversary of the raising of the standard of the cross against the crescent, April 6, 1821, beginning the war against the Turks which resulted in the independence of Greece, was celebrated throughout the kingdom today with great enthusiasm. All business was suspended and popular participation in the national fete was general. In the forenoon the king and queen, the ministers and the foreign diplomats attended religious services in the cathedral, where a Te Deum was sung, and the remainder of the day was devoted to holiday making of every description. As the king drove to and from the cathedral he was constantly cheered by the crowds of people lining the streets, and showers of paper bearing the inscription "Hurrah for war" were thrown into his carriage. Despite the warlike temper of the people, there were no disturbances.

AT THE REFORM CLUB DINNER.

Proposed Exchange of Views By Gold Democrats.

NEW YORK, April 6.—A Tribune special from Albany says: The leaders of the gold Democrats of this and neighboring states have been in active correspondence for two or three weeks in relation to a proposition for a demonstration by their wing of the Democratic party in New York city soon. The Reform Club of New York city, which has for its leaders such prominent gold Democrats as Charles S. Fairchild and Everett P. Wheeler, intends to give its annual dinner at the Waldorf Hotel on the evening of April 24, and it has been suggested that this dinner be made the occasion of an exchange of views by sound-money Democrats of the East and West in regard to their attitude toward the silver wing of the party, which now holds control of the organization in all parts of the United States. It has further been suggested that a series of conferences to suggest plans for work against the free-coinage heresy within the ranks of the Democratic party be held in Chickering hall. The plan has been proposed of inviting ex-President Cleveland and all the members of his cabinet to be present at the Reform Club dinner. Senator Gray of Delaware, Senator Caffery of Louisiana and Senator Lindsay of Kentucky have already accepted invitations to speak at the dinner.

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There are many beautiful illustrations in this number and some good bits of literature. Altogether it is a first class magazine.

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BOSTON, April 6.—Edward Randall Knowles, LL. D., of Worcester, author of "The Supremacy of the Spiritual," has been elected a corresponding fellow of the Royal Geographical Society of Lisbon.

THE CEDARS OF LEBANON.

Every girl and boy of the Christian world has heard and read, over and over again, of the "Cedars of Lebanon," but very few have any idea of the locality and surroundings of the famous grove. It is a popular error, by the way, to suppose that there are no other cedars remaining besides this group at the head of the "Wady" (valley or canon) Kadisha. There are, to my knowledge, ten other groves, some numbering thousands of trees. This particular group that we are about to visit is called by the Arabs by a name which means, "Cedars of the Lord." They number about four hundred trees, among them a circle of gigantic fellows that are called by the natives "The Twelve Apostles," upon the strength of an old tradition that Jesus and his disciples having come to this spot and left their staves standing in the ground, these staves sprouted into cedar-trees.

There is every reason to suppose that in the time of King Solomon these scattered groves were part of an enormous unbroken forest, extending the entire length of the Lebanon range of mountains, about one hundred miles, running nearly parallel with the Mediterranean shore from a little below Beirut. The summits of the range are from fifteen to twenty miles from the coast.

The Lebanon—that is, the "White"—does not derive its name from glittering snow-peaks, but from the white limestone cliffs of its summits. The first historical mention of the trees is in the Bible (2 Sam. v 11): "And Hiram, King of Tyre, sent messengers to David, and cedar trees, and carpenters, and masons; and they built David an house."

From that day to this the people have been almost as reckless and wasteful of these noble giants of the mountains as our own people are of these cedars' first cousins, the redwood trees of the California coast range. As we approach the grove, which stands upon the top of a small hill, the foliage is almost black against the snow-covered crags of Dabr-el-Kadib which rears its highest peak over ten thousand feet above the sea.

There is a Maronite chapel in the grove, its patriarch claiming the sole right to the sacred trees; and, luckily, the superstition with which the trees have been surrounded has been their salvation. All the cedars of Lebanon would have been demolished for redwood years ago were not the people threatened with dire calamity should they take a single stick.—[Harry Fenn, in April St. Nicholas.

NEW YORK YACHT CLUB'S CRUISE.

The outlook for a booming cruise of the New York Yacht Club is most promising. The new commodore, J. Pierpont Morgan, has plenty of money, and so far as magnificent prizes go there will be plenty. He has already offered the most valuable cup ever presented the club for cruise races, and these include the $2,000 cup for schooners and the $1,000 cup for sloops for the race from Vineyard Haven to Bar Harbor. It is gratifying to note that already a very kind invitation has been sent to the New York Yacht Club by Commodore Henry W. Lamb of the Eastern Yacht Club, to the effect that the visitors pay a visit to Marblehead.

In view of the fact that the races are to be sailed from Vineyard Haven to Bar Harbor, it would seem to be the proper thing for Commodore Morgan's fleet to stop in at Marblehead on its way back. If such should be decided on, then the wealthy commodore of the New York Yacht Club can be relied on to offer additional prizes for the race from Bar Harbor to Marblehead.

It is to be regretted that the Jubilee will not be in commission the coming season. With a few slight alterations she could be well improved, and the race between her and the Vigilant would be most exciting.

As there will be some racing in the 51-foot racing length class, Mr. Howard Gould would do a good thing for yachting by having the Niagara shipped over here and have her fitted out for the season's races. She would just fit the new class, and races between the Niagara, the Syce and the new Fife boat would be interesting. Beside this, the Niagara, starting against the Wasp, would give us a line on the merits of the Wasp, built under our rule, and the Niagara, built under the British rule.

Of course, in case the Wasp and the Niagara met, allowance would have to be made in sizing up the boats fairly, for the former, even as she is, could be made faster by reducing her wetted surface. The news of the coming successful cruise of this club is sure to have a healthy influence on the yachting season. If the New York fleet should have a leading breeze from Vineyard Haven to Bar Harbor, the schooner Constellation would stand a good chance of winning the $2,000 cup. The offering of big prizes is all well enough, but in such a long distance the big boats are sure to win on their allowance over the shorter boats. Commodore Morgan will do well to consider this, and give a prize to the schooners, say less than 80 feet; this would encourage owners to go in. Of course, if a small schooner should win the big cup on corrected length, then she would be entitled to two cups. Keep up the interest at all events.—[Boston Herald.

MAKING BIRCH OIL.

Connecticut farmers have found a comfortable side profit in gathering the twigs, branches and saplings of black birch for the birch-oil distilleries. By protecting the young growth, crops are quickly raised. The birch brush has brought from $1.50 to $3 a ton. The birch oil has sold at $5 to $8 a pound, but is now less. One ton of birch yields four pounds of oil. Farmers can make the oil themselves. The distillery may be any rough building, and the machinery is inexpensive. The birch twigs, not over two inches in diameter, are cut in lengths of five inches and thrown into water-tight tanks with copper bottoms, in which are coils of steam pipes. Three feet of water is poured in, the tanks hermetically sealed, and steam is poured into the pipes. The water is kept boiling six hours, and the steam rising passes into a pipe which runs in the form of a worm into a barrel of cold water constantly renewed. The steam is condensed in the worm and the oil drips from the end of the pipe into a pail. It was formerly clarified from a dull brown to a light green after this process. Now this is done by spreading a heavy woolen blanket over the birchwood inside the tank, and the oil drips out pure and ready for market.—[Chicago Journal.

Second Edition.

STATIONARY SEVERAL HOURS.

Hope That the Mississippi Has Reached Its Highest at St. Paul.

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 6.—The Mississippi has remained stationary for several hours, and the weather bureau officials are hopeful that it will not go much higher. The Lafayette school is surrounded on all sides by water, and was closed yesterday. Engineer Rundlett has built a boom in the river to protect an endangered pier of the Wabash street bridge. City Engineer Copellan has closed the Tenth Avenue bridge in Minneapolis, because of the fear that it would be wrecked. The bridge cost $160,000, is sixty-five feet above the water, and 1,143 feet long. At St. Paul Staple & King's ice houses collapsed yesterday. E. Gartler's icehouse is in twelve feet of water, and the ice it contained has floated away. Four hundred persons in the vicinity of the Washington Avenue bridge, Minneapolis, have been forced to leave their homes.

At Winona, all saw mills except that of the Winona Lumber Company have shut down, and a foot and a half more will make the latter close. Youmans Brothers' & Hodgkins have a large crowd of men at work, moving laths from low land to a place of safety. Merchants in Second street are moving goods out of their cellars, and residents on low lands on West Fourth street are leaving their houses. The Diamond dock is under water. The second levee wall is covered, and a foot or more rise will badly wash the levee park, constructed at considerable expense last year. The bridge over the Wisconsin slough on the road to the high wagon bridge has gone out, cutting off travel with Wisconsin.

Both the passenger bridges between Fargo and Moorehead are closed, and the water is two feet high in Front street and Northern avenue. Booms are being put in to prevent further damage. Cheyenne river, west of Fargo, has begun to rise, and is flowing across the prairie and flooding the entire west side of the town. Many families will be compelled to move unless the water falls quickly. Nearly every basement in Fargo is flooded, including the pressrooms of all the papers.

MANDAN, N. D., April 6.—The ice in the Missouri river has gorged below here, and the water is now rising at the rate of six feet per hour. It is probable that the lower part of this city will be inundated. The Northern Pacific tracks between this city and Bismarck are under water. The great steamboat warehouse at the landing here is afloat. It is tied to the banks by cable.

ALL CANADA INTERESTED.

Every Prelate in the Dominion Summoned by the Ablegate.

NEW YORK, April 6.—A Sun special from Montreal says: Monsignor Merry Del Val, the papal ablegate, has sent out a summons to every archbishop and bishop in Canada to be present at the episcopal palace in this city Thursday, April 8. The summons is imperative, and the calling of a general council shows that the matters for consideration do not affect the province of Quebec alone, but the whole of Canada. The government of Ottawa has been endeavoring to make it appear that when the ablegate came to understand that the Manitoba school question is settled he would confine his inquiries and decisions to disciplining the bishops of Quebec for coercive interference in parliamentary elections, but the calling in of the prelates from the Atlantic to the Pacific on such short notice is a plain indication that the Manitoba school question only has brought the ablegate to Canada, and that whatever policy he will adopt will have the weight of the whole Catholic opinion of the Dominion behind it.

NEW BEDFORD'S OLDEST LAWYER.

Death of Edwin L. Barney, Butler's Former Partner.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., April 6.—Hon. Edwin L. Barney, the oldest lawyer of this city, died this morning at his residence. Mr. Barney was born in Swansea, Mass., April 1, 1827, and had been a resident of this city for more than fifty years. He graduated from Brown University and took the law course at Yale. In 1865 he was a senator in the Massachusetts legislature, and in 1870 was appointed by President Grant United States district attorney for the western district of Texas. Afterwards Mr. Barney was the law partner of General B. F. Butler, and when General Butler was governor of this state he was appointed judge advocate on his staff. Mr. Barney was city solicitor of New Bedford for four years. He had been in feeble health for some time.

Rhode Island Democrats.

(Special despatch to the News.)

PROVIDENCE, April 5.—The Democratic state central committee held a meeting this morning, when the members of the various town and city committees reported the prospects for the election in the several localities, and many of them expressed the opinion that the party would poll a larger vote than at the last election. There was considerable comment over the inactivity of the members of several town committees, and a committee of three was appointed to inquire of the committeemen why they had not filed nomination papers for the state election.

Oil Drops 2 Cent a Barrel.

LIMA, Ohio, April 6.—The Standard Oil Company has issued a bulletin reducing the price of Lima oil one cent a barrel, making North Lima fifty-five cents and South Lima and Indiana fifty cents a barrel. Eastern oil was reduced fifty cents a barrel, and producers have given orders to stop drilling until they find out whether the decline is going to stop.

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QUEER BASIS FOR A LIBEL SUIT.

Statement That an Actress Was to Marry Her Brother-in-Law.

LONDON, April 6.—An action for damages for libel, brought by Miss Marion Terry, the actress, against the St. James Budget, was tried in the queen's bench division of the high court of justice today. The libel consisted in the publication by the paper of a statement that Miss Terry was about to marry her brother-in law, Mr. Morris. The defendant pleaded that an apology for the statement complained of had been published, but Miss Terry contended that that measure of reparation was not sufficient.

The jury returned a verdict awarding Miss Terry £500 damages.

GOLD MEN NOT IN IT.

Bridgeport Offices Divided Between Republican and Silver Democrats.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 6.—In the municipal election here yesterday the offices were divided between the Republicans and the silver Democrats. The gold men had a ticket in the field, but D. C. Mills, their candidate for mayor, pulled only 203 votes, and their fight for town clerk only split the Republican strength and enabled Robert Weber, the silver candidate, to walk into the position. Thomas P. Taylor, the Republican candidate for mayor, was elected over Frank W. Beers, silver democrat, by a majority of 1,167; Frank C. Mullins, silver Democrat, defeated Edwin W. Challenger, Republican, by 312 for city clerk; John S. Griffith, Republican, defeated Fred W. Hall, silver Democrat, for city treasurer by 162, and James H. McElroy, Republican, defeated E. N. Lockwood, silver Democrat, for tax collector by 1,724. The Republicans secured a majority of the selectmen and sheriffs. The common council and board of education are evenly divided by the charter between the two dominant parties.

Britannia Wins the Last Race of the Season.

NICE, April 6.—The Alsa and Britannia sailed the last match of the season today, over the course from Nice to Monaco and back, for a prize consisting of a Sevres vase. The race was won by the Britannia by three minutes. The weather was rainy and the wind light from the northwest.

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This Morning's News.

ENGLAND'S POLICY.

Will Join the Blockade in Interest of Peace.

Admirals to Investigate Attack on Insurgents.

LONDON, April 5.—In the House of Commons today Mr. G. N. Curzon, under foreign secretary, stated, in answer to a question by Rt. Hon. John Morley, that all the European powers except Germany had landed troops in Crete. Germany, he added, had not explained why she had refrained from sending troops as the other powers had done.

Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, First Lord of the Treasury, said that Great Britain would not hesitate to participate in a blockade of Greece if such action should become necessary in the interests of peace.

Sir William Harcourt, leader of the opposition, said it was his desire that the country should know the policy of the government more definitely than it was known at present, and he therefore gave notice that he would move an address to the queen, praying that the forces of the crown shall not be employed against the Kingdom of Greece or the people of Crete. (Liberal cheers.)

Mr. Balfour said that the ministerial majority would give a day to be devoted to debating a motion directing a vote of censure against the government, but he would not promise yet whether it would grant a day for debating a motion put in the form indicated by the notice given by Sir William Harcourt.

Sir William Harcourt asked whether the Turkish troops would be withdrawn from Crete and whether the British forces would take part in a blockade of Greece. Upon these matters he desired the government to make a definite statement, and also to announce the policy of the government in regard to Greece and Crete.

Mr. Balfour said that the date of withdrawal of the Turkish troops from Crete had not yet been fixed. In the meantime, he said, the powers were making a joint declaration to the government at Athens and to the government at Constantinople, as the result of which it was hoped that peace would be maintained. This declaration was that in the event of a conflict upon the Greek frontier the aggressor would be answerable for all the consequences of a disturbance of peace, to which the powers attach the greatest importance, and also that whatever might be the result of a struggle between Greece and Turkey, the powers would not consent that the aggressor should derive the slightest advantage therefrom.

CANEA, April 5.—The Russian consul here requested the governor to explain the attack that was made by Bashi-Bazouks Saturday on the insurgents on the Akrotiri peninsula, while the latter, acting on the consent of the foreign admirals, were about to retire to the interior of the island. The governor's reply was very brief, he remarking that the circular issued March 25 placed the whole police force of Canea and the environs of the city in the hands of the European commanders.

The admirals will hold an inquiry into the arming of the Moslem refugees who have flocked to Canea since the beginning of the troubles, and who took part in Saturday's attack upon the Christians under the eyes of the foreign military commanders and the guns of the foreign warships. The admirals will also inquire as to the number of rifles that are now in the Turkish government depot. They will also ascertain what, if any, measures have been taken by the Turkish officials to deport refugees from the island.

The presence of a force of international troops in the blockhouse at Butsunaria has not had the effect of preventing the insurgents from attacking that position. Today strong bodies of insurgents approached the blockhouse from several directions and made a concurrent attack upon it. The garrison replied with artillery. The fighting lasted for four hours.

As stated yesterday, the disarming of the Bashi-Bazouks who participated in the fight on the peninsula of Akrotiri was not a complete success, owing to the fact that those who first reached the gates of the city and had their arms taken from them subsequently returned along the Suda road and warned their comrades that to take their weapons into Canea meant to lose them. Many rifles were hidden, but today a search for the weapons resulted in the finding of a number of them. The work will be proceeded with until all the arms of the Bashi-Bazouks are taken from them.

Sultan Not Negotiating.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 5.—The Porte has issued a categorical denial of the reports that negotiations have passed between Turkey and Greece looking to a settlement of the Cretan imbroglio.

The admirals commanding the foreign fleets today made a vigorous demand upon the governor to explain why he had armed the Bashi-Bazouks despite his promise not to do so. They have also insisted upon the surrender to them of twelve of the leaders of Saturday's attack. It is thought that interesting complications will follow if the governor refuses to surrender the ringleaders.

Of the four thousand rifles that were distributed to the Moslem refugees, only five hundred have been returned.

Colonel Vassos, commander of the Greek army of occupation, has sent to the admirals a notification that insurgents firing shots upon Europeans will be shot.

A PRELIMINARY TRIAL.

Battleship Iowa Develops a Speed of 17.16 Knots.

BOSTON, April 5.—Battleship Iowa was given a preliminary run today over the Cape Ann course, where she will have her final trial spin on Wednesday. The trial, so far as it went, was thoroughly successful, and Edwin S. Cramp, who is here to represent the builders, learned enough about the capabilities of the vessel to feel pretty sure that she will succeed in winning at least a good portion of the handsome bonus offered for every quarter-knot made on the test trip over the contract rate of speed of sixteen knots.

The Iowa was sent over the first half of the course after she had done some "loafing" to warm up her engines. She accomplished the thirty-three miles in the remarkably good time of 1 hour, 55 minutes and 21 seconds, or at the rate of 17.16 knots an hour.

The conditions under which this was accomplished were not the most favorable, for while the sea was as smooth as could be wished, the wind was directly aft—about the worst direction it could blow from to insure a good draught.

Every one felt that the run back would be done in even better time, as the wind would be much more favorable. Unfortunately, however, after the first leg of the return journey had been covered at a rattling pace, the vessel ran into a dense fog bank and speed had to be reduced and any further trial abandoned. So thick was the fog that the great whistle had to be sounded at intervals of a few minutes, and slowly and carefully the monster picked her way up the harbor.

The only members of the Navy Department inspection board who accompanied the vessel today were Naval Constructor J. H. Linnard, Lieutenant Horace M. Witzell, Lieutenant Lucian Flynn and Past Assistant Engineer J. M. Pickrell.

The vessel was in charge of the Cramps' shipping master, Captain R. W. Sargent, who never left the bridge during the run. He was assisted by the well known Boston pilots, L. Chambers and T. Cooper.

The officers working the vessel were Engineers M. P. Towne, John Patersen and N. D. Johnson, J. W. Atlee, assistant naval architect, and J. H. Mull, in charge of the hull engineering.

Edwin S. Cramp and his brother, Francis L., were on board with a small party of guests, including Admiral Jorge Montt and Captain Luis Gomez of the Chilian navy, Lieutenant Commander Selfridge of the Puritan, General Grosvenor of Ohio, Hon. H. W. Palmer of Wilkesbarre, Penn.; E. A. Brigham, Boston, representative of the Parsons manganese bronze; C. M. Biddle, Robert Glendinning and Robert Frazer of Philadelphia, and Dr. Cleaver of Episcopal Hospital, Philadelphia. Dr. J. W. White of Pennsylvania University and Dr. Brooks of Harvard came over on the vessel from New York, but went ashore when she reached Boston.

WITHOUT A DISSENTING VOTE.

Remarkable Cuban Resolution Passed by the Senate.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The Senate, by the unanimous vote of those voting, 41 in number, although Senator Hoar and others present refused to vote, adopted this afternoon the most remarkable Cuban resolution yet proposed, declaring that it is the judgment of the Senate that the President, if he finds it to be true, as the Senate is informed, that General Rius Rivera "is to be tried by drumhead court-martial and shot," to protest to the Spanish government against such a violation of the rules of civilized warfare.

As the President of the United States cannot very well ascertain in advance both that General Rivera is to be tried by a drum-head court-martial, and also that he is to be shot, he would probably do nothing about it, even if it were sent to him as a joint resolution of both houses; instead of a simple Senate resolution; but, as he is not obliged to take official action on mere Senate resolutions, he will be justified in paying no attention to it whatever. As General Rivera is not even claimed to be an American citizen, a formal protest from our government against his trial according to Spanish law would be regarded by the Spanish government as an impertinence, and would be resented, rather than respected. But President McKinley will wait a long time before he makes the protest proposed for him by the Senate, especially as he is privately informed that General Rivera is not to be shot.

Though opposition was withdrawn on the final vote, there was spirited opposition in the early stages of the debate, and a test vote on the comparative strength of the Cuban and anti-Cuban sentiment in the Senate. The test occurred on a motion to refer the resolution to the committee on foreign relations. Senator Hale of Maine, who has been prominently identified with the opposition to Cuban resolutions, made the motion to refer, and it was supported by Mr. Hoar of Massachusetts, another prominent figure in the opposition to Cuban resolutions. The debate was very spirited, and at times quite personal, Mr. Allen of Nebraska and Mr. Gallinger of New Hampshire clashing with Mr. Hoar. The Hale motion to refer was defeated, 21 to 27, and the resolution adopted, 44 to 0, Mr. Hoar and Mr. Hale refraining from voting.

Another Cuban resolution comes up tomorrow—that of Mr. Morgan of Alabama, declaring that a state of war exists in Cuba, and recognizing both parties as belligerents.

After the disposal of the Cuban question, the day was given to speeches, Mr. Elkins of West Virginia speaking for two hours on the development of the American merchant marine, and Mr. Lindsay of Kentucky advocating the passage of the bankruptcy bill, known as the Torrey bill, now before the Senate.

IN NEED OF HELP.

Memphis Sends Out an Appeal to Other Cities.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 5.—The break at Flower Lake yesterday morning has grown from a dozen feet in length to a thousand. This was the condition of the crevasse this afternoon at 4 o'clock, when a reporter left the levee. Efforts were being made to tie each end of the levee. This crevasse is at the head of the delta, and will cause an overflow of the northern tier of counties in Mississippi, with the exception of a part of Tunica.

The question that now confronts the planters is the duration of the flood. If the water is out of the delta by May 5, a crop of cotton may be grown; but cotton planted as late as May 10 has little chance of maturing before frost.

There is still another danger. These crevasses must all be closed before the June rise, or there will be a second overflow.

The delta country produces annually no less than half a million bales of cotton.

The river at Memphis is stationary tonight. Much suffering is reported from the overflowed regions. Relief steamers are making daily trips into Arkansas City and Mississippi, rescuing hundreds of people and bringing them to Memphis. The local relief committee is doing everything possible for the unfortunate refugees. At a meeting of the committee late this afternoon it was decided to ask other cities for help, and an appeal was issued.

The President Will Probably Ask for Legislation.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The Arkansas Congressional delegation, headed by Senator Jones, called upon President McKinley to urge upon him the advisability of sending a special message to Congress, urging appropriate legislation for the relief of the flood sufferers. A delegation of citizens from Memphis, headed by Representative Carmack, called on the same mission.

Mr. McKinley has practically decided to send a special message to Congress tomorrow or Wednesday on the subject, with a recommendation that such legislation for the relief of the sufferers as Congress may deem fit may be enacted without delay.

The $250,000 appropriated a few days ago and placed at the disposal of the Mississippi commission can be used only in repairing breaks in the levees, strengthening them at weak places, etc. Not a penny of it can be used for the relief of the destitute. There are several precedents for the appropriation of money for such purposes. In 1890, on the occasion of the last big flood, $150,000 was appropriated.

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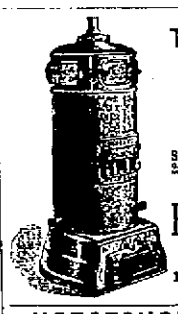

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NEW REAR ADMIRALS.

Recent and Prospective Promotions in the Navy.

The retirement of Rear Admiral Francis M. Ramsay, U. S. N., promotes Commodore Montgomery Sicard to be rear admiral and leaves Commodore Edmund O. Matthews at the top of his grade, ready for promotion to the highest rank in the navy on the retirement of Rear Admiral George Brown, June 19. Commodore Robert L. Phythian will be retired in July and Commodore Rush R. Wallace, commandant of the Newport Naval Station, in November.

The retirement of three rear admirals and two commodores within a year will afford promotion to three commodores, five captains, five commanders, and an equal number of advancements in the lower grades, an unusually large number. The three commodores to be advanced are Joseph N. Miller, who has already been confirmed as a rear admiral, Montgomery Sicard and Edmund O. Matthews; the five captains to become commodores are Henry L. Howison, Albert Kautz, George C. Remey, Norman H. Farquhar and John C. Watson; the five commanders to be advanced by these retirements are Charles D. Sigsbee, Richard P. Leary, William H. Whiting, Dennis W. Mullan and Nehemiah M. Dyer, Commander Charles V. Gridley having received his promotion on the retirement of Captain William Bainbridge Hoff.

Of the three commodores who will become rear admirals during the year, Miller graduated from the Naval Academy in 1854 and Sicard and Montgomery in 1855, and all three were appointed to the rank of commodore in 1894. Miller has had seventeen years and three months' sea service, twenty-five years and nine months' shore duty, and has been two years and six months unemployed. Sicard has had fifteen years and seven months' sea service, twenty-eight years and four months' shore duty, and has been one year and seven months unemployed. Matthews has had fourteen years and three months' sea service, twenty-seven years and six months' shore duty, and has been unemployed three years and nine months. Miller is now commandant of the Boston navy yard, Sicard a member and the next chairman of the lighthouse board, and Matthews chief of the bureau of yards and docks.

Rear Admiral Joseph N. Miller was born in Springfield, Ohio; appointed acting midshipman at the Naval Academy October 1, 1851, and graduated in three years, holding the third rank in the class of 1854. His successive promotions have been as follows: Passed midshipman, November 22, 1856; master, January 22, 1858; lieutenant, February 19, 1860; lieutenant commander, July, 1862; commander, January 25, 1870; captain, May 28, 1881; commodore, April 16, 1894; rear admiral, March 30, 1897. He has served as assistant instructor and instructor at the Naval Academy, as assistant hydrographer, assistant in the bureau of yards and docks, in command of the Ossipee, Wabash, Tuscarora, Powhattan, Tennessee, Chicago and Vermont; as lighthouse inspector, commandant of the Boston navy yard, captain of the yard at the New York navy yard, and as a member of the Jeannette court of inquiry and of the general court-martial on the Ashuelot disaster. He has an excellent war record, serving in blockade duty, as executive officer of the Passaic in the attack on Fort McAllister, and in the attacks on Fort Sumter and Fort Fisher.

Montgomery Sicard was born in New York and appointed to the Naval Academy in 1851, graduating in 1855. His promotions in the successive grades were as follows: Master, November 4, 1858; lieutenant, May, 1860; lieutenant commander, July 1862; commander, 1870; captain, August, 1881; commodore, July 10, 1894. He has served on ordnance duty at Washington and New York, on special duty at Washington, as chief of the bureau of ordnance, in the Boston navy yard, president of the steel board, commandant of the New York navy yard and as commander of the North Atlantic squadron. He has commanded the Saginaw, Swatara and Minnetonomoh. He served during the war in the bombardment and passage of Forts Jackson and St. Philip, in the passage of the Vicksburg batteries, the naval attack on Fort Fisher, in the South Atlantic blockading fleet and at the bombardment of Fort Anderson.

Edmund O. Matthews was born in Maryland and appointed to the Naval Academy from Missouri in 1851, graduating in 1855. His promotions have been as follows: Master, November 4, 1858; lieutenant, July, 1860; lieutenant commander, July, 1862; commander, May, 1870; captain, September, 1881; commodore, July, 1894. His special duties have included instructor of mathematics and seamanship at the Naval Academy, head of the department of gunnery at the academy, member of the gun foundry board, captain of the yard at the Boston navy yard, member of the board of inspection and survey, inspector of ordnance at New York, and chief of the bureau of yards and docks. He has commanded the Sonoma, Savannah, Ashuelot, Powhattan, New Hampshire, Brooklyn and Wabash. He was commandant of the Torpedo Station from November, 1865, to June 9, 1869, and married Harriet H. Hammond of this city, who died in 1883, and later her sister, Alzalda R. Hammond. Commodore Matthews served on steam frigate Wabash and participated in the capture of the forts at Hatteras inlet, as commander of the Sonoma engaged in constructing a naval battery at Morris island, commanded the naval light artillery at Honey Hill, S. C., and was engaged in the battle of Tulifinny Cross Roads.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Charles Lennon has deserted from training ship Constellation.

—The broken trolley on Bath road, near Red Cross avenue, has been repaired.

—Mrs. Ellen T. French and Miss French of New York are at the Muenchinger-King cottage.

—Mr. James Gordon Bennett has purchased cutter yacht Britannia from the Prince of Wales.

—Apparently some interest is taken in tomorrow's election by the Republicans, for they have taken the trouble and been at the expense of sending out circulars to voters, informing them that there is to be an election tomorrow, and that the Republican candidates should be supported.

—A cigar manufactory has been opened on John street by Herman Weiner & Son of New York. At present ten men are employed and later three times that number will be needed. The firm is now engaged on a contract for New York men, and in time will be able, probably, to take other contracts. Since arriving here the firm has received a contract for 100,000 cigars.

—The representatives of the Wickford line say that the recent overturning of the staging at the Old Colony docks was not due exclusively to the General, as the Beaver Tail and a Torpedo Station launch were passing the head of Long wharf at the same time with the General, and that they were much closer to the wharf than was the Wickford boat. It is supposed that the combination of swells was too much for the stage float.

There is a Class of People

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over ¼ as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

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A novel skirt, which is cut with a narrow front gore turned under at the edges to form a panel, has side gores, each laid in two plaits. The plaits are all stitched down seven inches from the top. The back is laid in side plaits which meet at the centre.

The fabric employed is beige canvas with a lining of grass green taffeta. The waist consists of a rounded bolero jacket made of narrow pink knife plaitings of two-toned taffeta, a mixture of beige and

grass green. The plaitings are set on in rows of three, the seam of the last of the group being covered with jet. The space between the edges of the jacket, both back and front, is filled with crosswise tucks of the canvas.

A black satin belt is finished at the right side with loops and ends. The leg-o'-mutton sleeves of canvas (the prevailing much modified leg-o'-mutton shape) are trimmed at the top with three rows of the plaited taffeta covered with jet.

A hat of beige colored straw is trimmed with black satin and grass green square-meshed silk net.

PERSONALS.

....Colonel Archie E. Baxter of Elmira, N. Y., has announced that he will not accept the position of third assistant postmaster general at Washington, and Lester F. Sterns of Dunkirk, N. Y., has been selected for the position.

....Rev. Edward Edmunds, who has been in the ministry since his seventeenth year, a period of over sixty-four years, was eighty-two years old Sunday. He was for half a century pastor of the Christian Church, corner of Kneeland and Tyler streets. Mr. Edmunds lives in Dorchester, and is remarkably hale and hearty at his advanced age.

....J. W. Gibbs, professor of mathematic physics at Yale, has been elected a member of the Royal Society of London, an honor hitherto conferred on only six Americans, including the late Professors Newton and Dana of Yale University. Professor Gibbs has published many treatises on mathematical problems.

....General A. S. Hartwell, a well known citizen of Honolulu and a distinguished member of the bar of the Hawaiian islands, is in Boston for a few days, accompanied by one of his daughters. He was a member of the Harvard class of '58, studied law, and entered the army at the breaking out of the war. Later he was brevetted a brigadier general, and commanded a brigade in the Department of the South in the latter part of the war. Soon after the close of the war he went to Hawaii and there became the first associate justice of the supreme court. When Kalakaua ascended the throne he was made his first attorney general. This was in 1874. In 1877 and 1878 he again occupied that position. He then retired from public life and has since practised at the bar with distinguished success.

....It is believed in Baltimore that the "Lieutenant Penny" mentioned in recent Cuban letters as having done heroic work among the rebels at the siege of Guaimaro is none other than Stuart Janney, a young man who was graduated at Johns Hopkins in 1895, and whose love of excitement and adventure led him to enlist soon after in the Cuban service. This belief is founded partly on the fact that, so far as known, there is no American of any prominence now fighting on the island who bears the name of Penny, and partly on Janney's well remembered strength and character, both of which were such as to make it probable that he would gain fame wherever it was to be bought by energy and daring. He was the best athlete Johns Hopkins has had for years, being distinguished as a player of both football and lacrosse, while his rank as a student was also high. Janney, with another Baltimore boy, R. Stuart Latrobe, nephew of ex-Mayor Latrobe, went to Cuba in May last on one of the Three Friends expeditions. They served for a while under the younger Maceo, and afterward joined Garcia's forces. They have been able to send home letters only at long intervals.

NATIONALITY OF TRAVELERS.

The number of Americans who spend much money in traveling for pleasure only is well measured by the number of Americans who visit Paris yearly. The following figures were obtained through the courtesy of the chief of police of Paris, and are a pertinent contribution to the discussion. Exact statistics of visitors in Paris have been kept by the police under the present detailed system only from 1892. Since then all arrivals in that city have been carefully reported at the prefecture by the proprietors of hotels and pensions, under pain of a fine for neglect, and they may be in part tabulated as follows:

	1893	1894	1895
English	46,190	44,027	43,373
Americans	39,322	40,685	42,317
Germans	31,402	33,278	36,224

PEGASUS.

With high-arched neck and curving flank,
With flowing mane and tail,
And nostrils wide, as if he drank
Incitement from the gale,

His slender limbs and dainty feet
Seem urgent for the sign;
His eyes of flame undaunted meet
The questioning looks in thine.

They dare thee mount. Away, away!
Whoever will do, can!
He is no more than horse, today;
Thou art no less than man!

—[Walter Storrs Bigelow, in the Critic.

THREE SENSES.

Were all things ever hidden from my sight,
Did Life stand helpless in unchanging night,
Methinks mine eyes would quicken, could I hear
Your gentle voice, and know that you were near.

Were the world silent, soundless all the sea,
No note of song in any bird for me,
Seeing your beauty—through my soul would ring
The music of the songs that lovers sing.

And could I speak not; were my lips denied
Their lordly right to chaunt love deified;
My very blood would praise God and rejoice
For sake of your sweet face and gentle voice.

—[William Mudford.

FANCIES.

Man wants but little here below,
So wrote a poet long ago;
But now and then, when times are sad,
Man wants that little mighty bad.

—[Truth.

"I suppose you found out immediately what a poor typewriter girl the school sent you?"

"No; I discovered it by spells."—[Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Bones—What am de difference between de corrupt politician an de base ball team?

Tambo—What am de difference, etc., etc.

Bones—One wants to be whitewashed an' de odder don't.—[Puck.

"Tommie, Mollie says you took her piece of cake away from her."

"Yes," confessed Tommie, "but she was quarrelling with Jacky about it, and you told me always to take her part when she was in trouble."—[Harper's Bazar.

Little Girl (entertaining visitor until her mother comes in)—My mamma is a good lady.

Visitor (interested)—Yes, my dear, but why do you say so now?

Little Girl—'Cause when you come she said her prayers.

Visitor—Indeed! And what did she say?

Little Girl—Dead Lord deliver us.—[Truth.

"Rastus," said Judge Cantilever, "it was very kind of you to send me that splendid turkey on my birthday. I'm very much obliged. Where did you get it?"

"I ain't gwine to tell yo, Jedge," said Rastus. "I ain't bound to criminate myself, 'cohdin' to de law."

"What has that got to do with it?" asked the Judge.

"Well," said Rastus, "I may be up befo' you inside o' two or three days becuze o' that very boyd, suh."—[Harper's Bazar.

"Do tell me something about the play," she said to the young man. "They say that climax at the close of the third act was superb."

"Yes, I am inclined to think it was very good."

"Can't you describe it to me?"

"Why the heroine came stealthily on the stage and knelt, dagger in hand, behind a clump of pink ribbons. The hero emerged from a large bunch of purple flowers and as soon as she perceived him she fell upon him, stabbed him twice and sank half conscious into a very handsome aigrette. This may sound queer, but the lady in front of me didn't remove her hat, and that's how it looked."—[Washington Star.

STELLAR SPLENDORS.

Tomorrow evening there will be a remarkable conjunction of Venus and the new moon. If the sky is clear from 7 to 9 o'clock, this brightest of all the planets will be seen only a degree and a half above the crescent moon, much their nearest approach this year. This cup and ball combination will positively be on exhibition only on Sunday evening.

As the darkness deepens, to the left of Venus will be seen the little Pleiades, then the large red Aldebaran, or the bull's eye; then Orion, with its marvelous belt, the brightest of all the constellations, and then the dog star Sirius, the brightest and whitest of the fixed stars. Altogether these will form a constellation combination exceeding in beauty and splendor anything we have seen in a year. If the sky is very clear both Venus and the new moon can easily be seen before the sun goes down.

Just now these stellar splendors are a faint reminder of creation's dawn, when we are told that "The morning stars sang together, and all the sons of God shouted for joy."

In a few weeks the sun will have moved in among all these brilliant stars, and in the superior brightness of its rays their glittering glories will be lost to mortal eyes for weeks and months to come.—[New Bedford Mercury.

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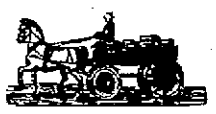

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BIG GUNS.

Should war come to Europe as the result of present complications, it would not prove a long drawn out affair like the contests of other days. It might be terrible while it continued, but would of necessity be of short continuance. The implements of warfare are now so terrible that the results would be quickly decisive. All, or nearly all, battles would be fought at long range and by heavy ordnance, whether by sea or land. None of our big guns have been built without a purpose. There has long been a race for pre-eminence in the inventions of destructibility, and the work is still in progress. It is well known that this constant struggle for supremacy between makers of firearms has produced another terrible instrument of death. The London correspondent of a New York paper is responsible for the statement that the English war office is about to test the deadliest known man-slayer. This is a machine gun capable of discharging one thousand shots in one hundred and twenty-three seconds. On the occasion of a brief sharp attack the gun fires eleven shots a second. A steel collar keeps the barrel cool, and the firer wears an asbestos glove. The present complications in Europe may furnish an opportunity for the practical testing of this awful machine in real service.

ANOTHER GREAT DISCOVERY.

There appears to be no end to electrical discoveries and inventions. A young electrician named Manconi is said to have solved one of the problems upon which the more famous Tesla has, according to report, long been working at intervals between his other experiments. The achievement which Manconi's friends claim he has accomplished is the sending of telegraphic messages between widely separated points without the use of connecting wires.

The first public exhibition was made in London a few weeks ago, when a message was thus sent from one postoffice to another two miles away. Later, the same thing was done through a mountain, the distance being about five miles. The instruments now in use cannot do more than this, and produce no results at points more than twenty miles apart, but the inventor, it is stated, expects soon to perfect them so as to add greatly to the distance that can be covered.

THE MANITOBA CONTROVERSY.

The politico-religious controversy in the Dominion of Canada is attracting attention, not only in that country but throughout the United States as well. We have never quite comprehended the situation as to details, but now that an appeal has been made to Rome, and the pope has sent his special representative to America to hear and decide the points in dispute among the Catholics, new interest is sure to be taken in the case. It will be seen that the Catholics are at war among themselves, and it is for the settlement of the international controversy that the papal delegate has come.

Of course the coming of Mgr. Del Val as special ablegate will awaken fresh interest among the Catholics of both the Dominion and the United States. And that the situation may be better understood, we reproduce an article from the Irish World, a Roman Catholic authority, stating the case as seen from that standpoint. Says our contemporary:

"The questions that Mgr. Del Val will be called on to decide are of the most intricate kind, involving, as they do, the relations of the church and state. In fact, it was but a short time ago that threats of secession were indulged in by the province of Manitoba on account of them. Mgr. Del Val is said, however, to be especially well fitted for the work. He is a young man, being only thirty-five years old. His father is at present the Spanish ambassador to Italy. His mother was an English woman, and he himself was educated by the English Jesuits, and resided in England while his father was ambassador to that country. He was a member of the recent papal commission which declared the invalidity of English church ordinations, and he will be the pope's personal representative at the coming diamond jubilee of Queen Victoria.

"The state of affairs that exists in Manitoba at present can hardly be appreciated in this country, although there have been similar controversies in various sections here, but on a very small scale. The Dominion of Canada is composed of several provinces, which correspond to the states in this country. The central or federal government is at Ottawa, and is called parliament; each of the provinces has its own legislature. The present fight has arisen over the refusal of the Manitoba legislature to provide separate schools for the Catholics of the province. When the provinces united and formed the Dominion thirty years ago certain rights and concessions were guaranteed to each. Manitoba came in in 1870. Her population at that time was almost wholly composed of French Canadians, who were Catholics, and the concession was made that the separate schools then existing in the province should continue to receive government assistance.

"The opening of railroads has made the province easy of access to settlers, and the condition of affairs there soon underwent a radical change. Instead of practically the whole population of its province being Catholic, the influx of English and Scotch settlers was so great that the Catholic population became a minority.

"As a result the premier of the province, Thomas Greenway, offered a bill in 1890 abolishing separate schools and establishing in their stead adequate public schools. At that time the Catholics numbered but one seventh of the entire population of the province. The bill became a law and trouble began at once, the Catholic clergy of the province of Quebec becoming especially active in the agitation against the law. The interest of the Quebec Catholics was due to two causes. In the first place, the province of Quebec is the Catholic stronghold of the Dominion, and to it at confederation were guaranteed certain concessions of which its people are very jealous, and which the growing influence of the non-Catholic provinces seems to threaten. Secondly, Manitoba was colonized originally by people from Quebec, and it was only to be expected that the people of the older province would fly to the defense of their co-religionists in the Northwest.

"The legality of the Greenway law was tested by a Catholic citizen of Winnipeg, who refused to pay the public school taxes. The test case was carried through all the Dominion courts and to the privy council in London, which decided against the citizen.

"The federal government at Ottawa was then asked to overrule the act of the Manitoba legislature. After a long, bitter fight as to the right of the Dominion government to interfere with the provincial legislature, a decision was reached to the effect that the Manitoba Catholics had a grievance, and that the federal parliament had full power to right the grievance in any way it saw fit. When the general election of 1896 came round, Sir Charles Tupper, the Conservative leader, made measures for the relief of the Catholics of Manitoba and the re-establishment of the separate schools one of the chief issues of the campaign, on the ground that the privy council had ordered it. Wilfred Laurier, the leader of the Liberals, denied this, and promised to settle the matter by compromise if his party should be put in power.

"The clergy of Quebec and Manitoba took a most active part in the campaign. They fought Laurier in the pulpit and out. When the election took place the Liberals won an overwhelming victory in Quebec and Manitoba, but in Ontario, the Protestant province, the Conservatives managed to hold their own fairly well.

"After the election Mr. Laurier, the new premier of the whole Dominion, entered into negotiations with Premier Greenway of Manitoba, which ended in a compromise by which the Manitoba government passed an act placing in the schools of districts where the Catholic population was sufficiently large a Catholic teacher who, for a certain time after regular school hours, could teach the catechism and give other religious instructions. This measure, instead of allaying the bitterness, served only to increase it. Mgr. Langevin, Archbishop of Winnipeg, came east and preached sermons against the government, and in a bye-election for a seat in the Dominion parliament the whole power and influence of the church was brought to bear on every Catholic elector to make him vote for the Conservative candidate. L'Electeur, the Liberal organ in Quebec, was put under the ban, and its readers and all who were connected with the paper were declared ipso facto excommunicated.

"Premier Laurier, a Catholic himself, was greatly hampered by the hostility of the clergy and what he thought their unwarranted interference in politics, and he sent, as an individual, Chevalier Drolet to ask the pope to send an ablegate to Canada and settle the trouble. Mr. Fitzpatrick, solicitor-general of the Dominion, followed shortly after, and the clergy sent Mgr. Begin of Quebec to oppose the request of the premier. The result of the mission was in doubt for a long time, but Lord Russell of Killowen sent his son to plead the cause of the premier, and Cardinal Vaughan added his influence, with the result that Mgr. Del Val was appointed. He comes, it is said, with full power to investigate the grievances of the premier against the clergy and to settle them."

The bill before the New York legislature prohibiting the publication of portraits in newspapers and magazines without the consent of the subject is being pushed in the senate. Senator Guy's amendment striking out the bill's enacting clause received only one vote—his own—and the bill has been advanced to a third reading. There may be some reason for suppressing certain methods of caricature, but none whatever for the sweeping prohibition which the bill carries on its face. For instance, when a man is nominated for President the people of the United States will always want to know how he looks. For him to publish a permission to print his portrait would scarcely be modest. We venture the opinion that such an infringement of the liberties of the press will not be tolerated.

The Venezuelan controversy appears to have come to an end, as the boundary treaty with Great Britain has been ratified by the senate of the South American republic. Thus ends one of the disturbing questions of the day, and fortunately in the interests of justice and fair play among nations. The part taken by our own country in this transaction was very important and highly honorable, and the result is the establishment of the Monroe doctrine on a firmer foundation than ever.

Some of the prominent Fall River tax payers object to paying the city laborers for a full day's work on Saturdays, inasmuch as the men take half the time as a holiday. The law makes it such, and though the laborers do not work they demand and are receiving, thus far, a full day's pay. The case is likely to go to the courts for final settlement.

The Boston city fathers are in a troubled mood. They have, or think they have, unearthed a scandal connected with the purchase and equipment of the municipal printing plant, and are greatly disturbed over certain police revelations, or rather hidings, which have been made by some of the newspapers during the past few weeks. The government of the city is almost wholly in the hands of the lower class of politicians, and while this continues there is small promise of reform.

There has been an unusual shifting of newspaper alliances lately, but the patrons of no live paper need be disturbed. There can be no news trust of permanence in these days of improved transportation and easy communication. To get the news of the world it is necessary for newspapers to arrange for an exchange, much as the banks form alliances for correspondence. These have been continually changing as the moods of the publishers change and they think new combinations desirable.

It is shown that the Kentucky sensational deadlock is costing the state $1,000 a day, and the deadlock last winter cost $100,000. If such things become too common the legislatures of the country will be relieved from all such responsibilities. Many of the people believe they can attend to the election of United States Senators without the agency of middlemen and commission brokers.

Grover Cleveland has been elected a member of the Nassau Club, which includes most of the professors of the Princeton university faculties and the chief men of the town, and a "smoker" was held Saturday evening for his introduction. The list of members present pretty nearly comprises the scholarship of the great institution which is Princeton's glory.

Rev. Dr. Rainsford explains by saying: "The great powers have their pockets crammed with Turkish bonds. Cease to uphold the integrity of the Ottoman empire, and who will pay the bonds held in Paris and London?" That is pretty nearly the whole story, and as true as truth itself.

A Michigan Congressman Saturday introduced a joint resolution to revoke all the orders extending the application of the civil service law which were made by President Cleveland during his last administration. The heathen still rage, especially at Washington.

Instead of attending to our own business and disposing of the arbitration treaty, the Senate is still trying to run Cuban affairs. But it must be confessed that the men especially engaged in this business are making a bad job of it.

The city of Boston has been notified of about sixty damage suits to be brought in consequence of the gas explosion. Many suits have been begun against the gas companies and the West End Street Railway Company also.

There is no bounty on the manufacture of maple sugar this year, and yet the sap flows just as freely as though it had government protection. Reports say the output from Vermont will be very large this spring.

Hon. William J. Bryan is in Washington, attending to the political situation as best he is able. He evidently still indulges hopes of a more permanent residence there, as "the people's hired man."

The number of insane persons in Kansas has increased forty-one per cent since 1890. And the insane have been well represented in Congress and the state legislature during most of that period.

Our attention having been called to the fact that an election is to be held in Rhode Island tomorrow, we do not mind giving the show a free advertisement.

Next year the centennial of the Irish rebellion of 1798 will be celebrated. The rebellion was suppressed but the Irishmen still live.

THE GOOD AND THE BAD.

At the top and bottom of every great city are two classes of human material. The first is made up of men and women who are rational and self-controlled, enterprising and far-seeing, humane and self-sacrificing. To them are due all the stately buildings and public gardens, all the hospitals and refuges for the unfortunate, all the galleries of art and institutions of education, with the force that mans and guides them. Some of these men and women are rich; the majority, however, in very moderate circumstances. But all alike have constructive, and not destructive, minds. They seek to build up and not to tear down. They love order and hate chaos.

Yet equally in every great city is found a second class, more like beasts of prey, and destructive, not constructive, in every instinct; destructive of their own bodies by dissipation, of their own reason by fierce passions, of the public beauty by wanton mutilation, of political morality by fraud and venality, of decency by foul speech, coarse profanity and lewdness of life. To them are due all the swindles and defalcations, all the jails and brothels, all the street robberies and incendiary fires. Destruction is their native element; the breaking down, and not the building up, of business confidence, safety on street or highway, supremacy of law and order everywhere. Some of these are rich; some in very moderate circumstances; many the vilest scum of lewdness, drunkenness, fox-like cunning and wolfish ferocity. But all alike, they constitute the mob element of society; the richer and more astute furnishing the demagogues who secretly or openly inflame the passions of the rest; the great mass of the others ever at hand to supply the bestial ignorance and fury needful to raise the yell, kindle the torch, and launch forth on an insane carnival of devastation.

Ask any intelligent policeman about this perilous class, and he will tell you that Vesuvius is underlain by no more terrible volcanic forces than Boston or New York. "Out of sight, out of mind," is all this with unobservant people, eyes that see not; but never for a moment in its stern reality out of mind with the guardians of the public peace; more than with the chief and subordinates of our steam fire engine stations is ever absent the dread sense of the elements of conflagration that at any hour may wrap the whole city in flames.

Well, in dealing with this vast problem, the right-minded individual can but do his little part, and then trustingly abandon the conundrum to the divine underwriters who have insured the universe against ultimate loss by fire or flood. Perhaps, however, of far more vital importance is it that each individual man should manage to get at a vital practical perception of how exactly he himself is constructed from top to bottom on just the same lines with big, beautiful and hateful, sublime and infernal, Boston or New York. "Just as in every city," said in substance a wise old Greek philosopher named Proclus, "along with the excellent and noble-souled citizens, there dwells a mob of miscreants; so in the loftiest minds is ever on hand an element of the animal, the base and the destructive; an ugly mob latent in them which they must never permit to get inflamed to violence, and yet a mob to which they themselves are in danger of turning out the most pernicious of demagogues."—[Boston Herald.

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THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, April 6, 8 A. M. Forecast till 8 p. m. Wednesday.—For Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Connecticut—Local showers tonight, probably clearing Wednesday morning; northerly to westerly winds; cooler.

FOR BOSTON AND VICINITY.

BOSTON, April 6, 8 A. M. For Boston and vicinity—Generally fair tonight; fair Wednesday; cooler; west to north winds.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

Showery conditions continue over a large part of the eastern sections. At 8 o'clock it was raining at nearly every observation point in the lake regions and the St. Lawrence valley, and snowing at a few points in the western lake region. In New England and the eastern Middle states the weather was fair, but cloudy in northern New England and foggy on the coast. Heavy showers occurred last night in southeastern Massachusetts, one and a half inches falling at Wood's Holl and nearly an inch at Nantucket. A depression is central near Montreal this morning; pressure 29.60. Generally fair conditions prevail in the Southwest and Northwest. The temperature has fallen decidedly in the upper lake region, registering from 6 to 30 degrees. It is at freezing from Minnesota westward over the Dakotas and Montana, and seasonable elsewhere.

JOHN W. SMITH,
Local Forecast Official.

LOCAL CONDITIONS.

April 6.	7 h	12 h	14 h
Temperature	60	56	67
Barometer	29.61	29.61	29.64
Wind	SW	SW	SW
Weather	Fair	Fair	Fair

MINIATURE CALENDAR.

TUESDAY, APRIL 6.

Sun rises.......5 h 17 m
Sun sets.......18 h 16 m
Moon sets.......23 h 10 m
Length of day.......12 h 59 m
Day's increase.......2 h 55 m
High water.......10 h 01 m; 22 h 19 m

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7.

Sun rises.......5 h 15 m
Sun sets.......18 h 17 m
Moon sets.......— h — m
Length of day.......13 h 02 m
Day's increase.......3 h 58 m
High water.......10 h 41 m; 23 h 05 m

THURSDAY, APRIL 8.

Sun rises.......5 h 13 m
Sun sets.......18 h 18 m
Moon sets.......0 h 04 m
Length of day.......13 h 05 m
Day's increase.......4 h 01 m
High water.......11 h 30 m; — h — m

Moon's Phases.

First Quarter, April 10, 3 h 27 m W.
Full Moon, April 17, 1 h 25 m, W.
Last Quarter, April 25, 10 h 43 m, W.
New Moon, May 1, 16 h 16 m, W.

NEW TODAY.

[NO OLD ADVERTISEMENTS LISTED HERE.]

Wanted—Girl; 4th page.
Allen's Restaurant; 5th page.
Wanted—Canvassers; 4th page.
Wanted—Seamstress; 4th page.
M. E. Tobin—Millinery; 3d page.
Clarke Base Ball Guide; 3d page.
Fenton—Easter Display; 5th page.
A. C. Titus & Co.—Wall Paper; 1st page.
Whitfield Tuck—Spring Sale; 3d page.
Bookcases, etc., at Auction; 8th page.
Geo. A. Wood—Prescriptions; 5th page.
Wanted—Girl for Housework; 4th page.
Ira W. Wilbor & Co.—Cigars; 4th page.
Wm. B. Sherman, Jr.—Organdies; 3d page.
N. G. P. C. Co.—Spring Clothes; 1st page.
A. A. Watson—Millinery Opening; 2d page.
Bailey & Co.—Iver Johnson Wheels; 3d page.
K. N. Sullivan—Millinery Opening; 1st page.

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A grazing farm containing over one hundred acres, with dwelling and barns, for the very low rent of $300

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181 THAMES STREET.

The Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Co.

49th Statement.

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Cottage house with 10,000 square feet land on Mann avenue. A very desirable location and property in excellent condition, $6,000.

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—AT—

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New Cigar Store, 148 Thames St.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, April 6, Wall Street, Opening Prices—Chicago, Burlington & Quincy, 70½; Chicago Gas 75½; Delaware & Hudson, 103; New Jersey Central, 77½; Rock Island, 62½; St. Paul, 72½; Omaha, 55½; Sugar, 110½; Western Union, 79½.

Noon—Money on call, 1½ @ 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 3½ per cent; exchange quiet, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.85½ @ $4.86 for sixty days and $4.87 @ ½ for demand; posted rates, $4.86½ @ $4.88; commercial bills, $4.84½ @ $4.85½; bar silver, 61½; government bonds, firm; new 4s, reg., 123½; new 4s coup., 123½; 4s, reg., 111; 4s, coup., 112½; railroad bonds, lower. The Industrials and Anthracite coalers were heavy after 10 o'clock, but the losses were not important. Sugar declined to 109½, Jersey Central to 76½, Lackawanna to 150 and Lake Shore to 165. Delaware & Hudson was offered at 101. The railway group held remarkably steady, and business was of a retail character. At midday the market was quiet and featureless.

NEW YORK, April 6.

	Noon.
Atchison	10⅝
Atchison preferred	19⅝
Canada Southern	46½
Chicago & Alton	162
Chicago & Alton preferred	174
Chicago, Burlington & Quincy	70⅝
C., C., C. & St. Louis	29
C., C., C. & St. Louis preferred	77
Cotton Oil Certificates	
Cotton Oil Certificates preferred	
Delaware & Hudson	103¾
Delaware & Lackawanna	150¼
General Electric	31¼
Erie New	12¾
Erie First preferred	29⅛
Illinois Central	93½
Iowa Central	6
Iowa Central preferred	20
Kansas & Texas	11½
Kansas & Texas preferred	
Lake Shore	165
Lead Trust	23⅝
Lead Trust preferred	91
Louisville & Nashville	45⅝
Michigan Central	54
Missouri Pacific	15
New Jersey Central	77
North American	3¾
Northern Pacific	12⅝
Northern Pacific Fixed preferred	35¾
Northwestern	104
Northwestern preferred	
New York Central	100
Ontario & Western	13⅝
Oregon Navigation	10
Pacific Mail	25½
Peoria, Decatur & Evansville	
Reading	20¾
Rock Island	62¼
St. Paul	72½
St. Paul preferred	131½
Duluth	15
Duluth preferred	80
Omaha	55¾
Omaha preferred	138
St. Paul, M. & Man.	115½
Southern Railway	9
Southern Railway preferred	26
American Sugar Refining	109⅞
American Sugar Refining preferred	102
Texas Pacific	8⅛
Union Pacific	5¾
Leather	6¾
Leather preferred	55
U. S. Rubber	13
U. S. Rubber preferred	63
Wabash	5
Wabash preferred	12¾
Western Union	79⅝
Wisconsin Central	1⅛
Wheeling & Lake Erie	1
Wheeling & Lake Erie preferred	3⅛

A. O'D. TAYLOR,

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SUMMER COTTAGES AND VILLAS. In and around Newport and Jamestown—all prices—$300 to $7,000. Very good ones at $500 to $1,500.

STORES FOR BUSINESS. On Bellevue avenue, Catherine street, John street, Prospect Hill street, Bath road, etc.

SPECIALLY DESIRABLE RESIDENCE FOR SALE. Close to Bellevue avenue—well suited for a home or for a private boarding-house, $6,750.

DIED.

HALL—In Providence, 5th inst., Sarah M., widow of Peleg Hall.
Funeral from her late residence, 142 Benevolent street, Wednesday, at 2 P. M.

TISDALE—In Brooklyn, 6th inst., Mary A., widow of Henry Tisdale.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

O'CONNELL—In North Tiverton, 4th inst., Maurice O'Connell, in his 36th year.

WILBUR—In East Providence, 5th inst., Samuel B., son of the late Russell and Amey M. Wilbur, in his 53d year.

RUTTER—In Johnston, 3d inst., Elizabeth, widow of William Rutter, in her 58th year.

FERRENT—In Taunton, Mass., 4th inst., John B. Ferrent, in his 79th year.

ROBERT C. COTTRELL, Undertaker and Embalmer, 322 & 324 Thames street. Residence, 104 Mill street. Telephone at office and residence.

Secure a sound mind, which seldom goes without a sound digestion, by using Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitters.

That tired feeling is due to impoverished blood. Enrich the blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla and be strong and vigorous.

Tour to Washington and Old Point Comfort.

Tuesday, April 20. Delightful tour to Washington and Old Point Comfort via Royal Blue Line; three and one-half days in Washington; trip to Mount Vernon; one day at Old Point Comfort and Fortress Monroe; visit to Philadelphia; privilege of stop over in New York. Every detail first-class; $29.50 covers every expense. May 4. Tour to Washington with five days at the National Capital; rate $27. From Newport $1 less. For illustrated itinerary call on or address A. J. Simmons, N. E. A., 211 Washington Street, Boston.

Tours to Washington and Old Point Comfort.

Royal Blue Line personally conducted tours leave March 26, April 2 and 20 and May 4. Parties leaving April 2 and May 4 spend five days in Washington; rate $27 from Boston. Tours of March 26 and April 20 spend three and one half days in Washington and one day at Old Point Comfort and Fortress Monroe, rate from Boston $29.50. Tickets cover every expense including accommodations at best hotels, side trip to Mount Vernon, visit to Philadelphia and privilege of stop-over in New York. Proportionate rates from other points in New England. Independent tickets good any date at reduced rates. Illustrated itinerary on application to A. J. Simmons, N. E. A., 211 Washington St., Boston.

FOR SALE.

An estate on Duke street, comprising two buildings and a lot of land, $3,300.

The Killian property of Lee's wharf. This property comprises a two tenement house and about 3,800 square feet of land, and being situated on the harbor can be filled in to the extent of about 9,000 square feet and would make a handsome wharf property. Full particulars on application to Mr. Hazard, sole agent.

COTTAGES FOR SALE.

Cottage on Howard street, near to Thames; has piazza, bath and closet; will be sold at a low price.

Cottage on Cross street, city water, near to Thames street; price low.

FIRE INSURANCE PLACED IN BEST COMPANIES.

SIMEON HAZARD, 94 Broadway.

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THE EASTERN QUESTION

Is being solved by

"A Little Greece,"

A little oil, skillfully applied, will save much wear in your watch.

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WATCHMAKER, 190 THAMES STREET.

NEW JEWELRY AND SILVER NOVELTIES.

Table Ware in Solid Silver and Best Plated.

Also the new 12 size **Waltham Watches,** Royal and Riversides, the thinnest and neatest size yet made in this country for gentlemen's wear.

E. C. BLAINE, 245 THAMES STREET.

CITY STEAM LAUNDRY CO.,

220 THAMES STREET.

Gentlemen's work—Shirts, 10c.; collars, 1½c.; cuffs, 3c. per pair.

NAVY NOMINATIONS.

Roosevelt for Assistant Secretary, and Crowningshield a Bureau Chief.

WASHINGTON, April 6.—The President sent to the Senate today the following nominations:

Theodore Roosevelt of New York, to be assistant secretary of the navy.

Captain A. S. Crowningshield, U. S. N., to be chief of the bureau of navigation in the department of the navy.

ENGLAND'S EFFORTS.

Endeavoring to Induce Greece to Withdraw from Her Position.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 6.—It is reported that the British minister at Athens, Mr. E. H. Egerton, has been instructed by the government to make overtures to Greece on behalf of the powers, with a view of enabling the latter to honorably withdraw from her position and put an end to the existing deadlock. If Greece should reject the proposals made to her, it is believed that the foreign warships will at once establish a blockade of the Piraeus.

A protracted cabinet conference was held at the Yildiz palace last evening, at which it was decided to send forty additional battalions of redifs (reserves) to the Greek frontier.

Accidentally Walked into the River.

KENNEBUNK, Me., April 6.—John Pring, a ship carpenter, aged nearly seventy years accidentally walked into the river at Kennebunkport, near the approach to the new bridge, last evening, and was drowned. His body was recovered.

Death of an American Millionaire in London.

LONDON, April 6.—Jeffries Garvie, an American millionaire, who lived in magnificent style in a mansion in East Park, Southampton, died suddenly last evening. Mr. Garvie was seized with a severe chill last week

To be Ordained to the Priesthood.

[Special despatch to the News.]

PROVIDENCE, April 5.—In All Saints' Memorial Church in this city at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning Bishop Clark and a large number of the Protestant Episcopal clergy of the state will ordain to the priesthood four deacons, Rev. Reginald Pearce of St. Thomas Church, Providence, who will be presented by his father, Rev. J. Sturgis Pearce of Portsmouth; Rev. Herbert C. Dana of Auburn, who will be presented by Rev. Henry Bassett of Providence; Rev. Charles H. McLane of East Providence, who will be presented by Archdeacon Tucker, and Rev. Henry Morgan Stone of the Berkeley Memorial Church, Middletown, who will be presented by Professor Sears of Brown University.

JAMESTOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News].

The town meeting tomorrow will doubtless attract a large gathering, as several important local matters are to come up for consideration. The much discussed schoolhouse question will probably be settled. An appropriation for a new hose reel is likely to be voted, as one which seems well suited to the needs of the town has been seen by Mr. Anthony, who was appointed a committee in the matter. Possibly the petitioners who several weeks ago prayed for relief from the surface water which inundated them from the North road will ask for a sewer, as they think they are entitled to one and have been put off long enough. The members of the town council are of course to be elected, and there will probably be some new members, as two of the present board have said they do not care for a re-election. Three directors to represent the town in the Jamestown & Newport Ferry Company are also to be chosen.

Last evening the town council appointed W. A. Gardner a supervisor, to fill the vacancy caused by the declination of Hoxie P. Brown to serve. Mr. D. C. Watson was elected town auditor.

Colonel A. L. Wetherell and family arrived this morning at the Sever cottage. They spent a large part of the winter in the Bahama Islands. Colonel Wetherell will shortly begin the erection of his new cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Walter Woodward arrived today for a short stay. Mr. Woodward is making arrangements for the construction of a barn near his residence.

Mr. H. Audley Clarke of Brooklyn is in town today.

Mrs. Joshua Peckham of California and Mrs. T. N. Brown of Newport are guests of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Saulpaugh.

AT A BABY'S FUNERAL IN PARIS.

Twelve thousand persons at a baby's funeral lately. Paris never had that spectacle before. But the baby—Pierre Gregorie, aged three years—was a martyr. In December last a little child was picked up in a lonely street, slightly enclosed in a shawl and scantily clad. The little fellow, a handsome child, was brought to the hospital; the body was covered with bruises and cuts; it could only repeat "ma" and "pa" and "toto." The doctors could not save the little patient; the body was exposed in the morgue for identification; all Paris flocked, full of indignation, to try to recognize the baby.

At last a woman expressed her suspicions; the police acted upon them, and this led to the arrest of an artisan and his second wife. The latter had a family of her own of three children; poor Pierre was one too many; he was subjected to every cruelty, beating, starvation; stabbed with dinner forks and knives—yet he lived on. At last he was placed in an empty orange box and shut into an out office; here he received sometimes food, but always beatings. His only companion was a poodle, "Toto," that lay on the baby to keep it warm and drive away the rats.

The brutal father and stepmother were arrested, the father confessing that to finish with the child he had deposited it in the street so that the cold would accomplish his desire. The delay in burial was due to the medico-legists making an exhaustive examination as to the cause of death—systematic ill treatment or wilful exposure to inclemency. The latter implied murder and the guillotine for the wretch father, and the doctors decided death was due to congestion of the lungs, caused by exposure.

A grandmother was the only relative little Pierre had in the world; yet he had twelve thousand mourners; "granny" walked behind the hearse, the bier being covered with white roses and lilacs; six boys and girls succeeded, carrying bouquets of similar flowers; then the brave women who put the police on the track led "Toto" by a chain; every one wished to pat him, only children were allowed to kiss him.

When the police came to arrest the culprits they discovered Peter's orange case bed, and Toto whining at its side. The woman took the poodle and would allow no other person to have it. Hundreds applied for Toto, among others Mlle. Faure, and all were refused. But Toto, in the natural course of events, will figure in the museum of the Humane Society, and in a short time will be sculptured on the marble tomb, to be erected to the "Martyr Bebe," paid for with a one sou subscription by the infants of Paris.—[Philadelphia Times

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.

THE ELECTION AT BLOCK ISLAND.

Block Island steamer G. W. Danielson today bore a summer look, as a large gathering was on the wharf waiting for her departure. They were not summer residents, but returning sons called home to vote tomorrow at what promises to be one of the liveliest elections ever held on the island. For the first time in years the town and state elections will be held on the same day, thus increasing the interest. Very few in other places seem to care much about the state election, but at Block Island the contest between Messrs. Champlin and Rose on the Democratic ticket, and Littlefield and Mitchell on the Republican side, promises to be of the warmest character, unless it is compared with the contest over the town officers, for that is superheated. The islanders will say but little, but they agree that the fight will be hot, and that money, beer, whiskey and any other commodity acceptable to voters will be liberally distributed.

A drummer who was on his way to the island today was informed by those on the boat that it would be useless for him to go over, as no one on the island would have time to talk with him, even if there were no groceries on the island.

DEATH OF MRS. HENRY TISDALE.

Word was received today of the death in Brooklyn of Mrs. Mary A., widow of Henry Tisdale of this city. Mrs. Tisdale was well known in Newport among the people of the older generation, having lived on Bridge street during the greater part of her married life. She was related to the Knowleses of Jamestown, and her husband was a well known business man, being for many years foreman of the old volunteer fire company No. 5. Mrs. Tisdale since her removal from Newport had lived with her daughters, Mrs. B. Mason Hammett, at whose home in Brooklyn she died; Mrs. Woodle of Altoona, Penn., and Mrs. Philip Rider of this city. With the last-named she usually spent a portion of the summer and was here last summer. Mrs. Tisdale was well advanced in years, but retained her faculties and her cheerful disposition to a remarkable degree.

THE WEAVER COTTAGE ON BELLEVUE AVENUE.

It is reported that Mr. R. C. Derby has sold for Miss Weaver her estate on Bellevue avenue, just south of the Ocean House, to Mrs. J. Amory Codman of Boston. The house was built for the late John G. Weaver and is one of the most desirable in the city for rental at a reasonable figure. It was under lease to Mr. Francis T. Sully Darley of Philadelphia, subject to sale. Mr. Darley has occupied it for several seasons, and was expected here in May to again take possession. When the house was occupied by the late Mr. N. M. Beckwith of New York, President Arthur, Mr. James Gordon Bennett, Mrs. Paran Stevens and other prominent persons dined there. Mrs. Codman is by no means a new-comer, having been a hotel visitor for many years. She occupied a cottage for the first time last season, having a lease of the Edward T. Potter cottage on Catherine street.

MR. HENRY WHITEHOUSE'S MARRIAGE.

The marriage of Mr. Henry Whitehouse, son of Mr. Fitzhugh Whitehouse of Eastbourne Lodge, Newport, and Thornton Hall, Stony Stratford, England, and grandson of the late Bishop of Illinois, to Ethel, elder daughter of Sir George Duntze, baronet, of Villa Moulton Dinard, Brittany, will take place at St. Bartholomew's Church, Dinard, Tuesday, May 4. It is understood that there will be eight bridesmaids and two pages, among the former the two sisters of the bridegroom, a sister of the bride, Miss Romola Dahlgren and a daughter of the Marchioness of Hastings.

PROVIDENCE'S WAR ON CIGARETTES.

The first of the arrests of cigarette smokers was made in Providence yesterday. Nominally the charge preferred was that of vagrancy, and for that offence the respondent was sentenced, but actually it meant the other thing.

When Chief Baker issued his order last week for the arrest of every boy under the age of sixteen found in any public place either chewing or smoking tobacco in any form, and for the arrest and prosecution of every person selling cigarettes to any boy under the age of sixteen years, he had in mind the case of Nicholas J. Drew, Jr., and the anti-cigarette law which was passed two years ago, but for the enforcement of which no efforts have been made until now.

Drew belongs to a very good family residing on Lester street. He is seventeen years of age, and was formerly a bright and industrious school boy. Recently he became addicted to the use of cigarettes, for the purchase of which he expended every penny he could earn, beg or borrow. He remained away from school and from home, and wandered about town a confirmed cigarette fiend, the tobacco making him not only dissolute but vicious. His parents could do nothing with him and the police were asked to take him in, and to save him from the cigarette habit he was sent to the reform school for two years.

From this time on the police will wage war on cigarettes.

LITTLE COMPTON.

[Regular correspondence of the News]

The following appointments for the ensuing year were made at the last meeting of the town council as a board of canvassers: John W. Hunt, game constable; Edgar S. Peckham, dog constable; Edwin Seabury, commissioner of wrecks; Frederick R. Brownell, coroner; William Briggs, assistant coroner; John C. G. Brown, appraiser of damages done by dogs; Frederick B. Gifford, truant officer.

Bills were allowed as follows: Overseers of the poor, $354; bill of commissioners of town farm, $179, less rent of farm, $150; $29 allowed.

Petitions were received through counsel from Mrs. Harriet Oldridge of Boston, (one of the heirs of the late James Pearce) and Asa Howland, administrator on the estate, asking the court of probate to issue citations to be served on Sarah A. Liscombe to appear before said court at the next regular meeting, April 12, and explain the whereabouts of certain money left by the late James Pearce.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—The lilacs are budding.

—Tug Hercules of Baltimore is in, with a tow.

—Colonel S. R. Honey has returned from New York.

—Mr. W. H. Lawton, Jr., is surveying "Malbone."

—There was a fire drill at the Coddington school this afternoon.

—The local banks will close tomorrow, voting day being a legal holiday.

—Mr. M. W. Wetherell, who has been ill for some time, is able to be out.

—Miss Jennings, who has taken one of the Pinard cottages, sailed for Europe today.

—Mr. Robert Dunn and Mr. George F. Cozzens have returned to Harvard College.

—Mrs. C. C. Van Zandt has returned from Brookline and is at her cottage on Aynault street.

—C. H. Burdick & Sons are building an addition to the rear of Mr. John H. Ireys's house on Church street.

—Rev. Arthur M. Aucock of All Saints' Church, Providence, will be the special preacher at St. George's Church this evening, the service commencing at 8 o'clock.

—The timber for the new run at Crowley's yard was today sunk in position, and the work of finishing the ways will now proceed very rapidly, as after this timber is spiked there will be but little work for the diver.

—Arrivals at Kinzler's include Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brandus, Charles J. Bogert, James Morrow and F. Allard of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sapper of Boston and John Hall and John Hall, Jr., of Springfield.

—Arrivals at the Perry House include C. E. King of New York, William Barrett and F. H. Elsbree of Providence, M. H. Smith of Chicago, H. T. Grant of Boston, H. S. Spooner of Middletown, N. Y., and W. H. Mischlet of Baltimore.

—Steam lighter Hustler of the Chapman fleet, which brought to Sandy Hook a very heavy consignment of heavy guns for trial, from the Watervliet arsenal, brought from New Jersey the base rings for the mortar battery at Fort Adams, and today unloaded them at the south dock at the fort.

NAVAL NOTES.

The Alert has arrived at San Francisco from Honolulu, with all well aboard.

The lighthouse board has unanimously elected Captain Winfield S. Schley chairman to succeed Admiral Walker, retired. Colonel Gillespie, of the corps of army engineers, succeeds General Wilson as a member of the board.

Acting Carpenter T. E. Kiley is ordered to the Raleigh.

Lieutenant J. C. Colwell has been selected as naval attache to the embassy at London.

Lieutenant Commander Albert R. Couden, who was formerly attached to the Torpedo Station, has been confirmed as a commander in the navy.

Ensign C. P. Preston is detached from the bureau of equipment and ordered to the Michigan, and Lieutenant J. A. Shearman is also ordered to the Michigan.

Captain E. M. Shepard has been detached from the San Francisco and ordered to the Cincinnati, and Captain M. L. Johnson from the Cincinnati and ordered to the San Francisco.

Captain Henry F. Pickering relieved Captain Albert Kautz in the command of United States receiving ship Wabash at the Charlestown navy yard yesterday. Captain Kautz became commodore at the same hour by the retirement of Rear Admiral F. M. Ramsay.

Among the nominations sent to the Senate yesterday were those of Henry M. Paul of New Hampshire, now assistant in the naval observatory, to be professor of mathematics in the navy; Captain Henry L. Howison, to be commodore; Commander Charles D. Sigsbee, to be captain, and Lieutenant Commander Edwin C. Pendleton, to be commander.

SOMETHING NEW!

Never-Break Fry Pans.

Will last a lifetime.

Three sizes, 25c., 30c., 35c.

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NICE NATIVE VEAL,

Fresh Spinach and Kale,
EXTRA NICE
Baldwin and Greening Apples,
GO TO THE
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RECEIVED THIS WEEK, A NEW LINE OF
LADIES' WRAPPERS
In Cambrics and Percales, made in the latest SPRING patterns, at
65c., 75c., 85c. and 95c. each.

25 doz.
Children's Aprons
In fine quality gingham, neatly trimmed with LACE and well made, at
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Gingham Aprons,
Regular 12½c. size and quality, our price
10c. each.

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24 BATH ROAD
Manufacturer of High Grade
CARBONATED BEVERAGES
—AND—
All Kinds of Mineral Waters.
All goods are manufactured from distilled water. Orders left at Geo. Stanhope's store, 219 Thames street, will also receive prompt attention.

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E. S. BLUMENKRANZ, Pharmacist.
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WILTON LACKAYE,
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All Star Cast.
C. W. Couldock, Forrest Robinson, Byron Douglas, Joseph Allen, Joseph Callahan, J. W. Bennie, Edwin Wallace, S. W. Weller, Alice Evans, Grace Mae Lamkin, and other noted artists,
Presenting a play of intense interest,
"DR. BELGRAFF,"
With appropriate scenic effects.
Prices—25c., 50c., 75c., $1. Sale of seats at box office Tuesday morning.

Unity Club.
Last Study Meeting of the Season, 8 o'clock Tuesday Evening, 6th April,
In the Channing Parlors. Open on this occasion to the public. Lecture on "The Moral Trend of Recent Fiction," by Rev. J. H. MacDonald.

DRUGGISTS.

TRY DOWNING'S
Compound Ext. of Sarsaparilla,
A safe and reliable blood purifier, prepared from the best Honduras Sarsaparilla combined with Dandelion Root, Yellow Dock and Iodide of Potassium, it makes an invaluable spring medicine and highly recommended for the cure of all disorders and impurities of the blood. Sold in full sized bottles at
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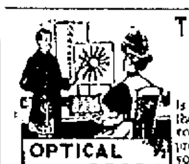

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THE CITY OF NEWPORT.

Notice of Applications

—FOR—

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AT A MEETING of the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Newport, held Tuesday, March 30, 1897, the following named persons made application for liquor licenses, under the provisions of Chapter 102 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, to sell pure, spirituous, intoxicating and malt liquors within the limits of the city, viz:

First Class.

Bryer Peleg & Son, 25 Broadway.
Corbett Patrick H., 603 Thames street.
Denniston Thomas, 27 and 29 Kinsley wharf.
Garrettson Frederick P., 16 and 20 Washington square.
Horgan Patrick H., 221 Thames street.
Lyon Timothy J., 3 and 5 Bull's wharf.
Martin John T., 558 Thames street.
Sayer Brothers, 253 Thames street.
Sheehan Dennis W., 18 and 20 Kinsley wharf.
Voigt Ernst, 628 and 630 Thames street.

Second Class.

Adam John, 104 Thames street.
Alexander John, Germania Hotel, 23 State street.
Andersen Christen, 26 Prospect Hill street.
Barker William A. and Albert G. Groff, 89 and 93 Bridge street.
Barry Lawrence J., 470 Thames street.
Brakhust Albert, 235 Thames street.
Buckley Daniel J., 511 Thames street.
Burke Patrick B., 1 West Broadway.
Burkinshaw Albert, 420 Thames street.
Burns John, 11 Duke street.
Burns Timothy, 76 West Broadway.
Coen Joseph Y., 111 Long wharf.
Coffey John J., 60 West Broadway.
Condon Patrick H., 10 Long wharf.
Condon John J., 65 Long wharf.
Conheeney James A., 622 Thames street.
Conheeney James J., 43 Hammond street.
Corridon John H., 10 Duke street.
Corrigan Michael J., 99 Levin street.
Curran Crohane D., 38 Bath road.
Curran Michael, 35 West Broadway.
Denniston Thomas, 27 and 29 Kinsley wharf.
Dwyer Philip, 109 Long wharf.
Egan James, 46 and 48 West Broadway.
Ehrhardt William J., 13 and 15 Franklin street.
Finn John H., 497 Spring street.
Hall Frank S., 515 Spring street.
Hertzog Paul, 32 Washington square.
Horgan George P., 10 Franklin street.
Horgan Maurice S., 8 Duke street.
Horgan Patrick H., 58 West Broadway.
Houghton George E., United States Hotel, corner Thames and Pelham streets.
Hynes Thomas F., 455 Spring street.
Johnson Michael J., 110 Thames street.
Kearney Michael H., 277 Thames street.
Kelley Joseph, 17 Denniston street.
Kerins John, 563 Thames street.
Lowney John, 128 Long wharf.
Lowney John, 442 Thames street.
Manning Michael, 670 Thames street.
Martin John T., 175 Thames street.
McDermott Charles, 18 Prospect Hill street.
McGowan Daniel J., 12 and 11 Washington square.
McLaughlin Cornelius, 409 Thames street.
Mitchell John, 18½ East Bowery street.
Murphy James, 52 Dixon lane.
Murphy John J., 459 Thames street.
Murphy Michael J., 423 Thames street.
Murray Michael F., 6 Market square.
Nolan John H. and Benjamin J. Dryer, 37 Bath road.
Nolan Patrick, 106 William street.
Oakley Francis, 300 Thames street.
O'Brien William S., Perry House, 11, 13 & 15 Touro street.
O'Connell Timothy B., 140 Long wharf.
O'Neill Michael, 16 Long wharf.
Ormsby William, 253 Thames street.
Owen John A., 7 Duke street.
Perry Ross W., 8 Prospect Hill street.
Pinto Michael P., 462 Thames street.
Quigley William, 83 Long wharf.
Rife Uriah L. and Louis Vincent, 333 Thames street.
Rife, William D., 269 Thames street.
Ritt Charles, 32 Market square.
Shea John J., 12 Burnside avenue.
Shea Daniel, 632 and 634 Thames street.
Shea Patrick, 78 West Broadway.
Sheehan Daniel D., 3 West Broadway.
Sheehan Patrick, 50 West Broadway.
Sheehan Patrick, 114 Thames street.
Shields Edward, 127 Long wharf.
Stone Alfred, 436 Thames street.
Sullivan Charles H., corner West Broadway and Collins street.
Sullivan Daniel K., 47 William street.
Sullivan Dennis J., 604 Thames street.
Sullivan George W., 110 Levin street.
Sullivan James J., 32 Callender avenue.
Sullivan Jeremiah T., 467 Thames street.
Sullivan Timothy, 41 Bath road.
Sullivan Patrick, 659 Thames street.
Sullivan William P., 8 Kinsley wharf.
Sweeney Robert J., 5 and 7 DeBlois street.
Tifft John H., 119 and 121 Thames street.
Trager Charles A., 9 Middleton avenue.
Tucker John C., 19 Duke street.
Voigt Ernst, 528 and 530 Thames street.
Walsh Daniel J., 8 West Marlboro street.
Walsh Patrick, 596 Thames street.
Weaver Alva F., 703 Thames street.
Wilkinson Thomas B., 295 Thames street.
Yates William, 431 Thames street.

The Board of License Commissioners will be in session at their office in the Mercury Building on **Monday, April 10, 1897, at 2 o'clock P. M.**, when opportunity will be given for remonstrances to be heard before acting upon said applications or granting licenses under them.

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SHALL THEY BE ANNEXED?

Another Special Commissioner May be Sent to the Hawaiian Islands.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 5.—From hints dropped by officers of United States cruiser Philadelphia it is now thought that the vessel is awaiting the arrival here of a special commissioner, appointed by the President, who will go to Hawaii to investigate the condition of affairs there, with a view of making a report on the question of annexing the islands to the United States. Who this commissioner is cannot, of course, be told, but one or two officers of the Philadelphia said they are inclined to think that John W. Foster will be the man, on account of his intimate knowledge of Hawaii gained on a former visit to the islands, and his ability to handle the delicate mission. Another officer, however, professed to believe that the minister to Hawaii has been appointed by the President and that he is going to the islands at once, without waiting to be confirmed by the Senate, on account of the crisis in affairs there calling for a representative from the United States government skilled in diplomatic matters. The only candidates for the Hawaiian mission who are known to be influential are Rear Admiral Walker, Irving B. Dudley of this city and Harold Sewall of Maine. Dudley is now in Washington, working for the mission. Admiral Beardslee refused to affirm or deny that he had received instructions from Washington outlining the government's policy in case of a revolt by the Japanese in Hawaii.

SCHEME DIDN'T WORK.

Murderer Butler Failed to Escape by the Aid of a "Double."

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—The Call prints a remarkable story of an alleged attempt by the Australian murderer Butler to escape from the city prison shortly after his arrival here, through a clever substitution. Friday night, March 26, a man giving his name as Reardon was picked up very drunk and taken to the prison. His clothes and resemblance to Butler was commented on, and pictures illustrating the supposed accidental likeness were afterwards published. It now appears that the man is the murderer's brother, and that his coming to San Francisco from a ranch in Sonoma county was in response to a request from Butler, who wrote him, outlining a skillfully laid plan whereby the murderer hoped to make his escape. Reardon, as he called himself, was released and disappeared.

Saturday he was seen at the dock by a gentleman, who, recognizing him, determined to learn more about the remarkable "double." The man said Butler wrote him to come to town, have his hair cut, and behave exactly in Butler's own style and get himself locked up for drunkenness. Butler explained that he was allowed to leave his cell every morning to wash, and at the same time the "drunks" were turned out into the corridors while their cells were being cleaned. The Sonoma county man was to slip into Butler's cell while the murderer awaited his discharge as a "common drunk." Reardon carried out his part of the plan, but the matter had been delayed and when he awoke in the city prison it was only to find that Butler had been transferred to the county jail for greater safety.

Jumped or Fell from a Ferry-Boat.

NEW YORK, April 5.—Edward Stern, a retired importer of hosiery, jumped or fell from ferry-boat Bowery Bay while she was on her way to Astoria from the foot of Ninety-second street at 5 o'clock last evening. He died in a few minutes after being taken out of the river. Mr. Stern was fifty years old, and well-to-do. He was formerly in business in Lispenard street, and retired only recently. He was stricken with paralysis a short time ago.

Cumberland River Steamer Sunk.

GLASGOW, Ky., April 5.—Steamer Hart, the best boat on the upper Cumberland river, sank in mid-river near here yesterday. All the freight was lost, but the passengers escaped. The total loss is $75,000.

CORRECT STYLES FOR MEN'S WEAR.

That the plain white shirt is king there is no gainsaying. It answers more purposes than any other shirt, but from all indications it will be pushed hard for supremacy for morning wear by the colored shirt, in both the stiff and the soft-bosomed varieties; soft-bosomed colored shirts will have a great run, especially in flannels. We should not be surprised to see them more frequently than white shirts in and around the city, at business and in the afternoon, during the hot months.

Madras and cheviots will be used largely, and percales, of course, by the majority, because they can obtain almost as good an effect with them as with shirts of more expensive material.

In flannels to be worn with linen collars, of course, will be found the plaided effects, most of the Scotch clans being represented in the colorings.

Colorings in the linen goods will, in some cases, follow closely those in the flannels. The variety of designs is without limit, but broken checks, over-plaids and stripes will be prominent. It is a matter for general rejoicing, however, that the sickly greens and yellows we saw a season or two ago are not much in evidence.

The high-banded turn-down or polo collar seems to hold its own. It will probably be seen frequently with new spring and summer suits. We are glad to note that there is less disposition on the part of stout-necked men to wear it, and that middle-aged people have given it up—a hopeful sign of the times, indeed! This collar, which many regard as a freak, was originally designed as a negligé article; but it crept into popular use by reason of its oddity. It is losing its hold to a great extent, but will still be worn by the younger element. A new variety of this collar, sometimes seen, has a narrow overhanging flange.

A straight-standing overlapping and a straight-standing collar which just meets at the ends are favorites, the former leading. Both are a trifle higher than heretofore. Collars are now in appearance straight up and down, instead of having much poque.

Our old friend, the bent point collar, likewise the low turned-down article, will probably never go by the board, because of the great number of stout-necked people who can wear nothing else.

There is no change to note in cuffs.

The tie proper is now a leader. A few seasons ago we saw the tie relegated to the black string arrangement for use by our uncle from the country, but now we see the snappy young fellows, and the old boys as well, looking very spruce in ties. For a very young man, a tie, butterfly shape, or with a straight end, as he chooses, from three-quarters to one inch wide, and two and three quarter inches across when tied, is the correct thing.—[Sartorial Art Journal.

THE KITCHEN.

Too Little Attention is Often Given This Important Room.

Very little attention is given to the furnishing of the kitchen, even in the most particular households. If a new house is being built the careful housewife may charge the architect with certain conveniences for the room, but generally the matter is left wholly to his directions, and unless he is a tyro he is not apt to disappoint expectations.

Modern improvements in plumbing and in ranges provide the most convenient of permanent fixtures. It is scarcely necessary to warn one against the old style of shut-in plumbing, that left innumerable crevices and crannies to give lodgment to dirt and vermin. The very best results are obtained from the use of iron pipe instead of lead, and if this be used there is much less chance of "sweating" and the consequent rotting of the adjacent wood, especially if the pipes be painted.

The woodwork of the kitchen is fully as important as that of any of the rest of the house. Pine is generally chosen, and is as good as any other wood; it should be oiled and given several coats of hard varnish, or else painted in yellow or buff. Particular attention should be given to the use of thoroughly seasoned wood, for the dampness and stain are trying at best, and joints should be left open as little as possible. All closets and cupboards should be built from the floor to the ceiling, without the slightest opening above

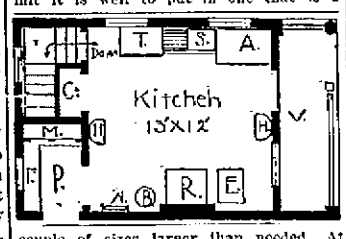
PERSPECTIVE VIEW.

or below. The doors should cover just as much of the front as possible, leaving room only for a narrow jamb and a shallow sill, in order that when they are opened the entire interior should be exposed to view.

Earthenware tubs are cheaper in the long run than wooden ones, although their initial cost is considerably greater. But if wooden ones must be used, be sure they are put in carefully, as under the best of contractors they give more trouble than any other kitchen fitting. The drain pipe and traps below should clear the floor so that one may easily clean around them. The coping should go close to the wall, and rising from it should be a high splash board, while a quarter-round beading should cover the joint between the two. The hot water boiler should not be jammed tightly into the corner, but should stand a few inches from the wall. This will permit it to be cleaned on all sides, an important consideration if the boiler be of copper.

Above all things, do not stint money in laying the kitchen floor. This must be constantly scrubbed, and if the wood checks and splinters the task is heart-breaking. Only the highest grades of Georgia pine should be used, in narrow strips, and it should have frequent dressing. It is no economy to lay a cheap floor with the idea of depending upon a covering of oilcloth or other similar material.

A very common mistake is made in putting in a sink that is too small and in providing no place for the draining of dishes. A sink is never too large, even for the smallest family, and if space will permit it is well to put in one that is a



couple of sizes larger than needed. At both ends should be wide draining shelves. An admirable feature, if one can afford it, is a panel of tiling adjoining the sink. This should be capped with a strip of wood containing hooks, from which may be hung basting spoons, collander, measures, etc.

As to furnishing proper, this is a very simple matter, although many persons seem to think it is sufficient to put into the kitchen the dilapidated and broken-down furniture from other parts of the house. When this is done it is unreasonable to expect that the servants will take any pride in the room or make the most of its possibilities. There is really no excuse for this course, as the cost of excellent new kitchen furniture is merely nominal. There should be two plain deal tables, a large one and a small one, the latter just about the height of the range or stove. This will be found extremely convenient in cooking, if drawn close to the range, to hold utensils. The chairs should be of the kind that have solid wooden seats, but there should also be at least one comfortable rocking chair. Anything that is in the nature of an ornament and that has no utilitarian use is wholly out of place and should be banished from the kitchen.

The design presented has a kitchen arranged in accord with the suggestions contained in this article.

Description of cut—A, movable table; B, boiler; C, closet; E, low table; F, counter shelf; H, chairs; M, dresser; N, towel rack; P, pantry; R, range; S, sink; T, hinged table; V, veranda.

TWO NOTABLE NEW YORK BUILDINGS.

Two buildings in New York, which have been long regarded as two of the very few remaining reminiscences of Broadway fifty years ago, are to be removed to make way for modern structures. They are both types of the buildings of the generation of builders to which they belonged.

The old Campbell house, at the southeast corner of Broadway and Duane street, was a relic of the time, not more than eighty years ago, when Duane street was in the country and the frame house was a mansion. The Goelet house, at Nineteenth street and Broadway, was indicative of the period not more than forty years ago, when fashion claimed upper Broadway as its own.

The Campbell house, which will be razed to make way for a tall building to belong to the Astor estate, is historic. Many of the early worthies of older New York visited the house, and it once sheltered President Martin Van Buren for a fortnight. It was part of a tract of land of considerable extent. Near it was the churchyard of the first large Protestant Episcopal Church in New York, and when this church was torn down to make way for improvements it was believed that the old frame building near it would soon follow. But the Campbell family regarded the old house with a sentimental interest, and continued to retain it long after it had been hemmed in by lofty structures which shadowed it.

It has lately been in a woful condition of decay. For some years it has been occupied by a cigar dealer and shoe dealer, and, though the rents were comparatively high for the accommodations, the location brought custom. More recently the property was purchased by John Jacob Astor, and then it was resolved that a change should take place immediately.

The Goelet mansion, at Nineteenth street and Broadway, has been notable for a generation, for during that time it remained the only building of its character which was still used as a residence below Twenty-third street. Peter Goelet, when he died, left in his will the command that the house should never be destroyed as long as Mrs. Gerry, mother of Commodore Elbridge T. Gerry, lived. Mrs. Gerry was always to regard the old mansion as her own, and Mr. Goelet, in order to avoid any possibility of his sister being deprived of this privilege, made his will to cover the possibilities of the years. Mrs. Gerry remained in the house every winter until a little less than a year ago, when she died, and Mrs. Frederick T. Gallatin, to whom the mansion now belongs, decided to improve the property by the erection of a modern business building.

While Mrs. Gerry was alive the house remained the same as when Mr. Goelet lived. In the stable extending along the rear of the lot, was an elaborate workshop in which Mr. Goelet used to spend his leisure time. The narrow lawn always showed some rare breeds of poultry and peacocks strutting about, and until quite recently a Jersey cow was allowed to find her pasturage within full view of the rush and hum of Broadway.—[New York Herald.

OBEDIENCE TO THE LAWS OF NATURE.

Nature has no pardon for ignorance or illusions. She is no respecter of persons. Her laws and penalties consider only what is, and have no dealings with semblances. By this experience we come to know what reality is, that there is an external world to the demands of which our senses, our reason, our powers of action are all concessions. The safety of each chain of life is proportioned to the adaptation of its links to these conditions. This adaptation is in its essence obedience. The obedience of any creature is conditioned on its response in action to sensations or knowledge. Sense perception and intellect alike stand as advisers to its power of choice. The power of choice involves the need to choose right. For wrong choice leads to death. Death ends the chain of which the creature is a link, and the life of the world is continued by those whose choice has not been fatal. That "the sins of the fathers are visited on the children" is, in the long run, the expression of infinite mercy, "the goodness and severity of God." Severity of condition and stress of competition are met in life by the survival of those adequate to meet these conditions. Thus "in creatures sore bestead by the environment" when instinct and impulse fail, reason rises to insure safety. At last with the civilized man reason comes to be a chief element in guiding the choice of life.—[David Starr Jordan, in Appletons' Popular Science Monthly.

INTEMPERANCE AND MODERATE DRINKING.

The Metropolitan Life Insurance Company issued a policy in 1890 upon the life of Charles Janneck for $1,000, to be paid upon his death to his wife. The policy provided that if the insured shall "become so intemperate as to impair his health or induce delirium tremens, said company shall have the unquestioned right, upon becoming satisfied of such fact, to terminate this contract immediately upon the tender to the party in interest of the legal reserve." After three or four years the company refused to receive further premiums, claiming the policy was cancelled. The Fourth appellate division has affirmed judgment given in the Monroe supreme court in favor of Bertha Janneck, in her suit to recover upon the policy, the court holding, by Presiding Justice Hardin, that the above provision did not constitute the company the sole judge as to whether or not the insured had become so intemperate as to impair his health, and that it was proper for the trial judge to submit to the jury the question whether that was the case, at the time the company attempted to forfeit the contract of insurance. In his application for the policy the insured stated, in answer to one of the questions, that he used alcoholic stimulants moderately, and the appellate tribunal held that it was not improper for the trial court to charge the jury, on the question as to whether decedent's intemperance aggravated the Bright's disease of which he died, that he was not precluded from drinking moderately.

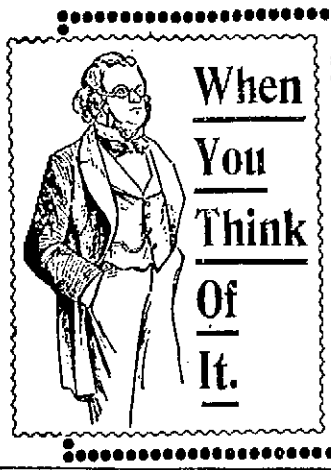
THE RICHEST AMERICAN.

"Who is reputed to be the wealthiest person in the United States?" Some two or three years ago a New York correspondent of a leading Western paper devoted a good deal of space in setting forth the wealth attained by the men who had accumulated $50,000,000 or more. At that time the list contained nine names, and stood in the following order: William Waldorf Astor, $150,000,000; Jay Gould, $100,000,000; John D. Rockefeller, $90,000,000; Cornelius Vanderbilt, $90,000,000; William K. Vanderbilt, $80,000,000; Henry M. Flagler, $60,000,000; John I. Blair, $50,000,000; Russell Sage, $50,000,000; Collis P. Huntington, $50,000,000.

The above estimates were said to be authentic at the time they were published. The wealth of Mr. Astor consists of real estate in New York city, Gould's was in stocks and bonds, Rockefeller's is partly in Standard Oil stocks and partly in railroad securities, the Vanderbilts' is in railroad stocks and bonds, Mr. Flagler's is in Standard Oil stocks and government bonds, Mr. Blair's is in government and municipal securities, Mr. Sage's is in stocks and bonds or loans, and Mr. Huntington's in railroad securities.

It is said that William Waldorf Astor will be a billionaire before he reaches the allotted age, and that he will follow the precedent set by his great-grandfather, John Jacob Astor, in transmitting his fortune to his eldest son. Should he become a billionaire his income at six per cent interest would be $60,000,000 a year, $5,000,000 a month, $1,171,154 a week, $166,849 a day, $6,952.05 an hour, $115.87 a minute and $1.93 a second.

As to the wealth of Andrew Carnegie and John Wanamaker, the iron and steel king is said to be worth $20,000,000, and the merchant prince $10,000,000.—[Chicago Record.



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The importance of knowing just what to do when one is afflicted with kidney disease or troubles of a urinary nature, is best answered by the following letter which was recently published in the Poughkeepsie, N. Y., News-Press:
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"Dr. David Kennedy, Dear Sir:—For more than eighteen months I was so badly afflicted with kidney trouble I could scarcely walk a quarter of a mile without almost fainting. I did not gain any until I began to use Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. After using the first bottle I noticed a decided improvement which continued, and I know that
DR. DAVID KENNEDY'S
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MRS. THOMAS DYE."

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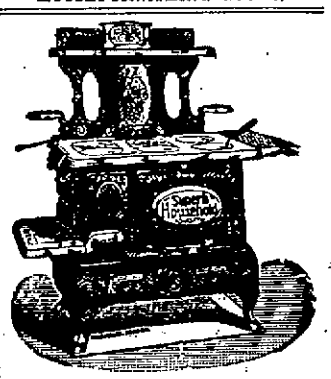

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MUST INCLUDE INDEPENDENCE.

Weyler's Proffers of Reform Can be Accepted Only on That Condition.

NEW YORK, April 6.—The Sun's Havana despatch says: Desertions are still very numerous in the Spanish army. At Matanzas a company of forty-seven men passed over to the insurgents on account of the scanty and poor food supply and the non-payment of the money due them. The authorities are careful to prevent the news from being printed here, for fear that it may influence the rest of the army to follow the same course. In Santa Clara province the desertions are still more numerous.

By orders from Madrid, Weyler is trying again to induce the insurgents to accept the alleged reforms, and has employed for that purpose Senor Marcos Garcia, ex-mayor of the town of Sancti Spiritus. Senor Garcia, notwithstanding the ill-success of his former proposals, indirectly made to Gomez by the correspondent of El Liberal, Senor Morote, has again accepted the mission, and has already written to the Cubans in a pleading way, asking their acceptance of the reforms. Weyler suggests to the insurgents that after the present plan of reforms has been practically tried in the island Spain will grant to Cuba more liberal home rule. He holds out the prospect, also, of a general amnesty, including the pardon of all Cubans who are in the revolutionary ranks and all who are under charges before the Spanish tribunals for common offenses. He adds that in the treaty of capitulation the insurgents will receive all the military honors of a belligerent army.

It is positively known that, notwithstanding all the semi-official Spanish news to the contrary, General Gomez has sternly rejected all these proposals and warned Senor Garcia that if he ever falls into his hands he will be hanged as a traitor. The same attitude is assumed by the Cuban government at Camaguey. A commission from General Jimenez Castellanos was dismissed by President Cisneros with the answer, that though the Cubans do not like to ill-treat official deputations, they will be obliged to arrest and try before a drumhead court-martial all who may in future enter the Cuban camp with proposals for peace not based upon the absolute independence of the island.

Stole One Hundred and Twenty Pairs of Shoes.

DANVERS, Mass., April 6.—One hundred and twenty pairs of fine shoes were stolen from the factory of C. L. Elliott last night.

Mrs. Craven's Suit Not to Go Before a Jury.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 6.—The children of the late James G. Fair gained a legal victory over Mrs. Nettie Craven yesterday, when Judge Stack of the superior court decided that the suit brought by them to quit title to the property which Mrs. Craven claims the late millionaire deeded to her should be tried by the court. Mrs. Craven was anxious to have it tried by a jury.

DOCTOR NANSEN AND HIS BOOK.

It is not likely that Nansen has left his energy behind him in the polar basin. He returned home to Lysaker in September, and as soon as the rejoicings had somewhat subsided he locked himself in. He said "No" to every one who knocked at his door; he meant to write his book. From the commencement of October he had worked unceasingly. It is true he had good diaries; but so many pages of diaries do not constitute a book, and Nansen meant to write a book, and he sat down to it.

The short-hand writer came every day. Nansen walked up and down the room or sat at the table and dictated; the work went quickly, but there were constant interruptions. Now it was an artist who came with a sketch which was to be looked over and set right, now it was a photographer who came for instructions concerning pictures, then again another artist on a similar errand, and his secretary to receive instructions for replies to telegrams and letters. The London publisher would telegraph about one thing, the publisher in France about another. And while reading a letter from the German publisher, the Norwegian publisher would ring him up on the telephone, and so on.

And then all the inevitable consequences of fame; requests from all imaginable geographical societies to be favored with a lecture, numberless societies asking his consent to be elected an honorary member, deputations, official letters, hosts of more or less private invitations from Norway, England, Germany, and America; fawning requests for photographs and autographs. And Nansen does not like to be discourteous; he tried to answer all, and kept his secretary hard at work incessantly. Yet I have heard people complain at receiving an answer through a "secretary."

One thing Nansen distinctly declined—he would not permit himself to be "interviewed." One or two journalists did, indeed, manage to get some five minutes' conversation with him on the journey along the coast, and they made the most of their opportunity; but when he reached Christiania he firmly negatived all applications. There was a whole staff of reporters assembled there, but all called on Nansen in vain.

An American magazine had an interviewer stationed at Christiania for a whole month, who offered Nansen a handsome sum for an interview, but in vain. But of course "interviews" and "talks" with Dr. Nansen appeared all the same. A German journalist who had never seen him wrote an "interview," in which he made Dr. Nansen talk of an antarctic expedition, of which Nansen himself knows nothing.

Still more amusing was an Englishman who was quite Nansen-mad. While Nansen was away he incessantly pestered Nansen's family and friends with silly inquiries concerning the "Arctic hero," and when Nansen came to Christiania of course the Englishman was there. One day when Nansen was sitting at dinner a message came in to say that he desired permission to see him.

"Tell him I regret I have no time." But word was sent back to say that he had come from England only "to shake hands with his Arctic hero"; he was not an interviewer; and Nansen, who seemed to be sorry for the man, went out and received him on the threshold, greeted him and exchanged a few words with him, but then excused himself and said "Farewell."

This will show what it means to be a great man; not only does he suddenly hear of interviews of which he knows nothing, but he has his own private house peopled with guests whom he has never invited or ever seen there.—[Harper's Weekly.

THE FOOD DRINK.

Anheuser-Busch's Malt-Nutrine is the concentrated nutriment of pure malt and hops. It is the greatest of all tonics. At all druggists.

DOWN THE CAPITOL STEPS.

A Wheelman's Wild Flight at the Western Front.

William Shields of Woonsocket, R. I., rode down the steps of the west front of the Capitol the other afternoon on a bicycle, and lives to tell the tale. Perhaps it would be more exact to say that he dropped slantwise from the top of the terrace to the ground below while astride of a wheel. There is no question that he accomplished the feat, for he was photographed during his rapid descent, and the incontrovertible product of the camera is on exhibition to convince the skeptics.

Foolhardy and hazardous as the feat was, it nevertheless required a considerable amount of a certain kind of nerve to attempt and complete it. It is much more difficult to ride down the terrace steps on the west front of the Capitol than to ride down those, for instance, on the east front, for the reason that the terrace steps are broken by several landings.

It is believed that until yesterday no wheelman ever attempted to ride down the steps on the west front, though riders have accomplished the feat on the east steps. The scene of the performance was the ascent, or rather descent, leading to the Maryland avenue entrance to the grounds. Here there are four flights of steps mounting the terrace. The two lower flights of sixteen steps each are broken by a landing about ten feet in width, then there are another landing about twice as wide and the two upper flights of twenty-one steps each, these in turn being separated by a landing of equal width to that of the lower steps. Thus there are seventy-four steps and three landings to be passed over in the descent. Every one who has walked up these steps realizes how steep they are, and will no doubt wonder that any one could successfully ride down them astride of a bicycle.

Shields waited until the steps and approaches were entirely clear of visitors, and then, placing his bicycle at the brink of the steep incline, swung easily into the saddle and began the perilous descent. Before reaching the bottom of the uppermost flight he lost his pedals, and making no attempt to regain them, sat rigidly upright in the saddle, his feet hanging clear of the rapidly revolving cranks, holding to the handle bars with a vise-like grip, and his eyes fastened fixedly on the path at the bottom. It only lasted for about fifteen seconds, but the intensity of the strain increased much more rapidly than the seconds passed. Gathering momentum with every foot of the downward passage the rider seemed to be going as if shot out of the mouth of a cannon. When he reached the third and last landing, the velocity of his descent had reached such a point that he literally leaped over the final flight of sixteen steps to the bottom. His wheel did not touch a single one of the steps, but took an onward and downward bound for the bottom. Then it was the few who witnessed the descent shuddered, the momentum attained being so great as to pitch the rider over the last flight. He left the saddle, but at the bottom wheel and rider fell in a heap. Shields escaped, however, without a serious bruise. The wheel which he was riding did not loosen a bolt or yield at any point under the severe strain to which it was put, and aside from a twisted handle bar, received at the fall at the bottom, came out of the ordeal without a scratch.

Shields seems to have a penchant for riding down the steps of buildings. He has been out in Ohio and Kentucky, astonishing the people in that section with his daring feats. Court house steps, city hall steps and steps to monuments are his especial delight, and out in Cincinnati he even attempted to ride out of a second-story window down a painter's ladder to the street below.—[Washington Star.

SPINSTER HOMES.

A hundred causes have been at work to make these homes possible. First of all there had to come among both men and women complete submission to the fact that all the women of one generation could not marry, there not being men enough to go round, and polygamy having ceased to exist as a fashionable institution. Then there had to follow a conviction, which took a long time to grow, that those women who seemed to have been left quite out in the cold when marriages were settled might have stayed out of their free wills, and that therefore they were not to be judged as those who had been tried and found wanting. But the most potent of all causes lay in new conceptions of what individuality might mean—that individuality which is irrespective of privilege and independent of life and condition—with a growing belief in the necessity for the development of this individuality and the right of its free expression. Through all the upheavals of homes and societies which have sometimes alarmed us, a recognition of what this involves for women, as for men, has been slowly born. The fact of her being married or unmarried weighs little if a woman be equipped in every way for the part she is to play in life.

In a home of her own the spinster gains both the table and the fireside. When presiding over the one or welcoming to the other she acquires, as hostess, a certain dignity and sureness of position which once were supposed to belong only to her married sisters. She becomes, in fact, the dispenser, and in giving she gets her own independence; for there is more in giving, even in the way of hospitality, than we altogether know.

For the working spinster, too, there is another invaluable gain—she gets a place in which to conceal her makeshifts and poverties, all her ups and downs of fortune.

Of course the question of expense suggests itself, for housekeeping necessarily involves a hundred unexpected expenditures. But this question, when applied to the spinster home, ought, it seems to me, to be considered only in regard to general results, to the questions of the great gains or great losses involved, the minor details being left to regulate themselves, as they will when a principle of life is followed. For ten dollars a week, when you board, you can get a small hall bedroom and your food. You have no care, no responsibility; but what have you gained? Looking at it from a purely material side, what have you that belongs to you at the end of the year?

Now every expenditure in a house does bring you some return. Your rent gives you walls behind which both you and the things you love may be protected. Your wood man's bill and your butcher's bill mean rich memories of happy intercourse when some friend was made welcome. What you have paid for a chair has made the chair your own.

Your possessions, too, will grow. It is a law of life that never fails, that to the things that one has others will always be added. Your possessions will grow also by the hundred unexpected and never-failing kindnesses of friends—those kindnesses which are constant factors in all success, and which help to make the richness of all lives. In a material way therefore you will be better off, though you may have spent more money and expended more strength. Your place in life, too, will be better established. You will have a greater number of ties, as well as a recognized position. You will have had greater opportunities for helping other people, and find yourself in every way better equipped for all emergencies.—[Harper's Bazar.

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TOMORROW'S ELECTION.

State Officers and Members of the Legislature to be Chosen.

In spite of the apparent lack of interest among the political leaders and the evident indifference of the voters, the state election will be held tomorrow, and a governor and other state officers and members of the legislature will be chosen to serve one year from the last Tuesday in May. The city committees show little signs of political activity, although some work may have been done the result of which may be seen at the polls. It is known, however, that the state committees have furnished no money, and that whatever is used tomorrow must be furnished by the local committees, and there will not be much of that.

The Republicans, it is presumed, will endeavor to maintain the supremacy gained at the Presidential election last fall, and are expected to bring out a vote which will give their candidates substantial majorities in the city. It is also expected that General Dyer and the others on the Republican ticket will secure a majority of the ballots cast, although Captain Daniel T. Church of Tiverton, the Democratic candidate for governor, has many personal friends in Newport who will give him a good complimentary vote.

The polls will open in Newport at 6:30 a. m., and close at 6 p. m., giving the voters twelve hours in which to cast their ballots. The electors in the First ward will vote in engine house No. 2, on Bridge street; those of the Second ward at engine house No. 4, at Equality Park; those of the Third ward at engine house No. 1, on Mill street; those of the Fourth ward at engine house No. 7, on Young street, and those of the Fifth ward at engine house No. 6, Thames street. The official ballots are as follows:

For Governor.

Franklin E. Burton, Providence, Socialist Labor.
Daniel T. Church, Tiverton, Democrat.
Elisha Dyer, Providence, Republican.
John Hale Larry, Providence, National Liberty nomination paper.
Thomas H. Peabody, Westerly, Prohibition.

For Lieutenant Governor.

Fayette E. Bartlett, Burrillville, Democrat.
Henry A. Burlingame, Pawtucket, National Liberty nomination paper.
Fred T. Jenckes, Barrington, Prohibition.
Bernard J. Murray, Providence, Socialist Labor.
Aram J. Pothier, Woonsocket, Republican.

For Secretary of State.

Charles P. Bennett, Providence, Republican.
George D. Briggs, Providence, National Liberty nomination paper.
James Jefferson, Johnston, Socialist Labor.
Miles A. McNamee, Providence, Democrat.
Frank B. Smith, Coventry, Prohibition.

For Attorney General.

George T. Brown, Providence, Democrat.
John Devlin, Providence, Socialist Labor.
Willard B. Tanner, Providence, Republican.
James A. Williams, Providence, Prohibition.

For General Treasurer.

Samuel Clark, Lincoln, Republican.
Frederick Frank, Providence, Socialist Labor.
William F. Graham, South Kingstown, National Liberty nomination paper.
Benson E. Helme, South Kingstown, Prohibition.
Edmund Walker, South Kingstown, Democrat.

There are two complete tickets in the field for senator and representatives to the General Assembly to represent Newport. The Republican ticket contains the names of all the present delegation. The tickets are as follows:

For Senator.

Charles H. Burdick, Republican.
Theodore R. Helme, Democrat.

For First Representative.

John W. Rogers, Republican.
William G. Ward, Jr., Democrat.

For Second Representative.

William P. Buffum, Republican.
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For Fourth Representative.

Godfrey Moffitt, Republican.
George H. Wilmarth, Democrat.

For Fifth Representative.

Michael P. Vaughan, Democrat.
John H. Wetherell, Republican.

THE YACHT CLUB'S RESOLUTIONS.

Mayor Boyle has received a copy of the resolutions adopted by the New York Yacht Club in relation to the harbor esplanade, and expected to see a delegation from the club at the meeting of the City Council this evening. The committee, however, will be unable to be present tonight, but expects to be here Tuesday next, when a special meeting of the board of aldermen will be held, and it is believed that matters will be presented in an entirely different light to the New York yachtsmen.

There is a very strong feeling in town, backed by statements made by some of the summer residents, that the matter of the esplanade has been the subject of considerable letter writing to cottagers, and that whether intentionally or not an entirely erroneous idea of the esplanade, and especially of what the proposed pier is to be, where it is to be located, and of the discharge of the sewer, has been raised in the minds of yachtsmen, and of those interested in property in that vicinity. The matter is so perfectly plain to those in this city who have given any attention to it that there exists no doubt in their minds but that the case has been misrepresented to those in New York. One of these was here last week, and after a conversation with one of the city officials acknowledged that he had an entirely wrong impression of what it is proposed to do.

PROVIDENCE REVOLT AGAINST THE REPUBLICAN LEADERS.

The most important and significant political mass meeting held in Rhode Island in many years was that last night at Infantry hall in Providence, where the supporters of the Democratic and good government fusion ticket for the General Assembly gathered. The open revolt from the Republican party by such a man as Colonel Robert H. I. Goddard, and the announcement of his appearance upon a public platform, naturally attracted great attention. Many leading business and professional men were present, and the platform was occupied by the most prominent and representative men in the community. There were speeches upon municipal and legislative reform by Mayor McGuinness, Hon. Robert W. Burbank, Hon. Rathbone Gardner and others, but the address of Colonel Goddard was the sensational feature of the present state campaign, which comes to an end tonight.

It is mild to assert that Colonel Goddard astonished and amazed his election eve audience. Millionaire manufacturer, national banker and McKinley Republican elector as he is, he struck out from the shoulder and declared that it was time that the city and state governments were rid of a degrading and degraded "boss" rule. Colonel Goddard was received with tremendous applause, and he was often interrupted by the most vociferous handclapping and other marks of approval. He said in substance:

"It is highly complimentary that I should receive such a demonstration, but I do not think it is owing to any merit of mine. The election in this state has resolved itself into a struggle of the people against the Republican party bosses. The gentlemen nominated on the good government ticket for the General Assembly in Providence this year wear no collars about their necks. The Republican machine managers and the bosses may think that this statement is rank heresy, but it is surely the uprising of the people against the bosses of Rhode Island in politics and about the legislature.

"I know that a political organization is necessary and quite proper, only let it be an honest and a decent one. When the party machine has betrayed the confidence of the party that has trusted it then wipe out the bosses. The halls of the legislature in Rhode Island are the abject slaves of the bosses, willing to obey the head of the worst machine that ever existed in this or any other state. I have been a citizen of the city of Providence all my life, and I hate to see the fair name of the state disgraced by boss rule in the General Assembly. We are capable of taking care of our affairs without the open and defiant acts of a boss-instructed legislature.

"We do not want the city to be misgoverned by the legislature, which has stepped in and run things until we are told that the city council is at the state house. The Democrats have endorsed the large part of the good government ticket, and we are thankful for that. The ticket when elected will not be owned by the agents and bosses who are employed by a few rich corporations.

"Legislation should be for the people, and if it is absolutely necessary that we elect some of the abandoned independents, then all well and good.

"The average boss and machine politician despises an independent nature, but there was no greater demonstration of an independent voting than in the last Presidential election, which was a magnificent triumph for good government. In that election President McKinley had 7,000 plurality, while the Democrats had for mayor 10,000 plurality in the same ballot boxes.

"We are going to succeed Wednesday next. We call upon all good men who believe in clean, decent government to help us at the polls. The fight begun now must eventually go into every town and city in Rhode Island, until the power of the boss in the state is utterly and irreparably broken. I appeal to you to free this fair city from the degraded and a degrading boss rule."

It was several minutes before the storm of applause subsided. Many of those present loudly declared that Colonel Goddard was right. Knots of old-time Republicans and big tax payers said they knew a party split would come. Some declared the open revolt from the Republican machine by such a distinguished Rhode Islander as Colonel Goddard was the result very naturally to be expected of a 22,000 plurality in the November election. One thing is certain, the Republican party is broken in two in this capital, and the city has forty per cent of the voting population in "Little Rhody."—[Providence despatch to Boston Globe.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

The City Council will hold its monthly meeting this evening, beginning at 8 o'clock. There is promise of a very interesting session, with the election of a chief engineer of the fire department as the principal attraction, and that of a dog constable as a good second. The selection of a site for the engine house in the Fifth ward may again be a bone of contention, and that difficulty may be settled. The highway committee will probably report on the petition of the Newport Street Railway Company for permission to change its tracks, and this may develop something of interest. The report that the committee of the New York Yacht Club will not appear in the harbor park matter removes one cause for possible discussion, but there is likely to be an interesting meeting nevertheless, and it is expected that the contest for chief engineer will attract a large number of the members of the fire department as spectators.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Mr. T. M. Seabury arrived at Gibraltar yesterday.

—Bishop Clark will administer the rite of confirmation at St. George's Church next Sunday morning and at St. John's Church in the evening.

—Yesterday afternoon steamer City of Lawrence of the Norwich line arrived at the Old Colony repair shop for repairs. Just how extensive these are to be is not known yet.

—Hon. Henry White, secretary of the American embassy at London, has arrived in that city, and yesterday visited the House of Commons, accompanied by ex-Governor Levi P. Morton.

—DeBlois & Eldridge have rented for Mrs. K. Randolph Breese her cottage on the corner of Francis street and Everett place to Mr. Harper Pennington of New York for the coming season.

—The millinery openings this year will occur Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, and Miss K. N. Sullivan, Miss F. N. Dawley, Miss M. E. Tobin and Miss A. A. Watson have pretty displays of the newest styles of hats and bonnets.

—A London cable says that the death of Mrs. Elizabeth A. Gammell occurred while she was traveling from San Remo, and was due to the effects of a rough passage across the Channel from Calais. She arrived in England in a state of collapse, and never recovered.

—Saturday steamer Priscilla, now at Long wharf, will go on the line, replacing the Plymouth, which will be laid up here until the special trip to New York for the dedication of the Grant memorial. Sunday the Puritan will go into commission, relieving the Pilgrim, which will be laid off for her spring overhauling.

—As a popular resort the district court room seems to have fallen into poor favor, for today there were but four spectators when the docket was called. There was no criminal business for consideration, so Chief Read quickly hied himself away, thereby reducing materially the size of the gathering that faced Judge Baker.

—"Ocean Lawn," the Gammell estate on the Cliffs, is being prepared to receive the remains of Mrs. Gammell and for the funeral services. It is expected that members of the family will leave England tomorrow with the body, and will come to Newport as soon as possible after reaching New York. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert will return to Europe soon after the funeral, accompanied by Miss Gammell, who is expected to remain abroad a year.

GREECE AND THE POWERS.

If the reports that the powers have decided to establish a blockade of the Greek coast and to patrol the Ægean sea to prevent naval action by Greece are to be trusted, not much time is left to King George to decide whether he shall succumb to the powers or cut the Gordian knot by beginning war on Turkey.

In the event of war being declared and the turks being victorious at the outset, it is not likely that in the present state of European opinion more serious consequences would follow to Greece than to Servia in 1876, when the powers restored the status quo without compensation to either side. Should the Greek army triumph, the conditions would be greatly changed, and there would be high-handed intervention against Greece or a general outbreak in Macedonia and Albania, followed by a war between some of the powers now federated but not entirely in accord.

King George apparently holds the key of the situation in his hands, and on his decision depend the events of the next weeks or even days. By the time the blockade is established the Greek army in Thessaly and Epirus will have received all the supplies of food and ammunition required to carry it over the period of suspense between the beginning and stoppage of action, if action is decided on, for there is no probability that the powers would allow matters to drag out very long after war had begun. The one who will be most affected by the issue of events will be King George himself. His success will add lustre to the crown he wears, and he can transmit it with honor to his successor; if Greece suffers, he loses his crown, though the fault will not have been all his own.

The natural solution of the troubles impending in southeastern Europe and Asia Minor would seem to be a congress of the powers to discuss and reach some definite settlement of the conflicting claims and pretensions of the great and small states alike, without armed conflict in any quarter. This, however, is apparently too simple and straightforward a way of settling matters, and occult methods and secret negotiations that will not bear scrutiny are preferred. As those most interested are not taken into the councils of the great powers, they have no recourse except to public opinion, for which the federated governments display little regard, or the blockade of Crete would have been raised long ago. In a congress the unjustifiable ambition of more than one government would be exposed, and the present dubious concert would be quickly succeeded by open conflict. In the meanwhile the innocent and helpless suffer hunger, want and all the horrors of war, while the statesmen of Europe are unable, or more properly are unwilling, to act with justice toward an oppressed people in arms against their tyrants, and toward the kindred nation that valiantly undertook to aid them.

Lord Salisbury's plea for the continued oppression of the Cretans was that if every island or tribe discontented with the government it was under were allowed to decide upon its own fate, it is not alone the Turkish empire that would be affected. So far, he was undoubtedly right in his suggestion; but he stopped short there. He should have gone on to the logical conclusion, and pointed out that the way for governments to obviate discontent in islands and among peoples under their rule is to abandon Turkish methods and substitute for them systems more in harmony with the spirit of civilization and Christianity, to which they lay claim. At present Europe is represented to the people of Greece and Crete, not by men of peace, carrying justice in their hands; but by men employing the weapons of deceit and force, by admirals.—[New York Sun.

MIDDLETOWN.

[Regular correspondence of the News.]

At the Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday six new members were received.

Mrs. Levi Dawley of New Jersey is guest of her mother, Mrs. Charles H. Hazard, on Alley road, for a few days.

Miss Sarah Smith has returned from a brief visit to Newport.

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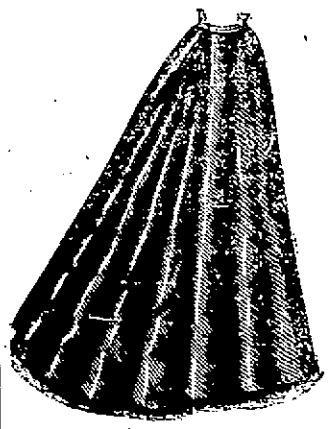

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